THE WEATHER

Probably occasional showers this afternoon and tonight, followed by clearing Thursday.

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Lowell Men Before U.S. Commissioner

Big Moonshine Plant Seized in Billerica

MEMBERSHIP IN WORLD COURT

Senate Foreign Relations Committee Called to Consider Action on Proposals

Meeting Called at the Request of Sen. Swanson, Ranking Democratic Member

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The senate foreign relations committee was called today to consider for the first time at the present session of congress, action on the proposals for American membership in the world court.

The meeting, called at the request of Senator Swanson, of Virginia, ranking democratic member of the committee, was preceded by a lengthy White House conference last night at which President Coolidge reiterated to republican members his stand in favor of conditional membership in the permanent court of international justice set up by the League of Nations as recommended more than a year ago by President Harding.

The three world court plans pending before the committee and a compromise proposal being worked out by Senator Pepper, republican, Pennsylvania, were considered at the White House conference, but no decision was reached in favor of any specific plan. The president is understood to have asserted, however, that the committee would attempt to agree upon a proposal in harmony with his views and designed to command the greatest possible support with a view to getting action, if possible, despite the legislative situation, at the present session of congress.

Chairman Lodge, who recently introduced a resolution contemplating establishment through a third Hague conference to be called by the president of a world court in no way connected with the League of Nations, declined to comment after the conference on the consideration given his plan, nor was any indication given of the trend of opinion with reference to the other proposals. The conference, it was said, was held chiefly to seek a way to put into effect the president's recommendations on the subject.

SEN. WHEELER WAS "FRAMED"

Justice Dept. Charged With "Framing" Wheeler and Spying on Senators

Witnesses Also Declare Famous Diaries of Means Spirited Away

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The senate Daugherty investigating committee was told today that representatives of the department of justice not only had sought to "frame Senator Wheeler," its prosecutor, but had spied on its members and its witnesses and had spirited away the famous diaries of Gaston B. Means, working with it as an investigator.

One of the witnesses was W. O. Luckstein, who said he knew about the whole proceeding because his wife is a secret agent of the department. It was she, he said, who identified in his presence the records of Means after they had been secured by a ruse.

LIQUOR CASES BEFORE U. S. COMMISSIONER

James Paparogtos of 226 Salem street, appeared before U. S. Commissioner Walsh here today on the charge of illegal sale and possession of liquor, waived examination and was held in $500 for the federal court.

William H. Gemmell of Lawrence, charged with sale and possession, also waived examination and was held in the same amount.

Fred Leonard and John Brennan, both of this city, were continued to June 6 and the case of George Blake, whose place of business is at Moody and Tremont streets, was continued until June 20.

The cases of Arthur J. Lacourse of Lawrence and Lester F. Abbott of Balardvale were continued until June 6.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, May 21.—Exchanges, $736,000,000; balances, $93,000,000.

BOSTON, May 21. Exchanges, $65,000,000. Balances, $22,000,000.

AGREE ON TAX REDUCTION BILL

Unanimous Agreement Reached Today by Conferees on Tax Measure

Simons Democratic Income Rate Schedule Accepted—Amendments Rejected

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Unanimous agreement was reached today by the conferees on the tax reduction bill.

The Simmons democratic income rate schedule, providing for 40 per cent maximum surtax rate and a 50 per cent reduction in normal taxes on incomes under $8000, was accepted.

Senate amendments providing for full publicity of tax returns and a tax on undistributed corporation profits were rejected.

TO RECONSTRUCT HOME

Architects to Submit Plans for the Reconstruction of K. of C. Building

The firm of Colleary and Purcell, Inc., architects, has been invited by the building committee of Lowell Council, 72, Knights of Columbus, to submit plans for the reconstruction of the organization's former home in Dutton street, destroyed in the fatal conflagration of Sunday morning, April

WILLIAM P. COLLEARY

27. Already the firm has begun designs for the rebuilding of the Knights' home, and will present their plans for consideration in the near future.

The members of the Colleary-Purcell corporation are William P. Colleary of Boston, and William C. Purcell of this city. The latter is register of deeds for Middlesex county with offices in the Gorham street courthouse. While comparatively new in the architectural business, he is associated with a young, but experienced partner in Mr. Colleary, who achieved much local prominence in the recent erection of the new St. Patrick's rectory, which he designed.

This statement was given out today by the committee. Mr. Purcell could not be reached in reference to the matter.

THIEVES ROB SAFE IN ICE CREAM PLANT

The ice cream manufacturing plant of H. P. Hood and Sons at 34 Meadowcroft street, was entered by a thief or thieves some time Monday night or early Tuesday morning, it became known today, and $700 in money was taken from a safe in the company's office. The responsible party has not been apprehended.

Entrance to the establishment was made by way of the main door. A key was used. The safe where the money was deposited was opened without violence, the combination evidently being familiar to the robbers. Employes of the company found the door of the safe opened yesterday morning and the deposit vault rifled.

Dr. L. W. Juan

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Usual Hours

Millerand and Poincare Worrying Over Fall of the Franc Resort of Extraordinary Course

CONFERENCE ON MENTAL HYGIENE

Much Interest Manifest in Meeting Held Last Night in Liberty Hall

First Mental Health Clinic to Be Held Here on Monday, May 26

Preliminary steps were taken last evening at the mental health conference held in Liberty hall for the formation in Lowell of a branch of the Massachusetts Society for Mental Hygiene, whose chief function is a campaign of public education in the ways and means of preventing mental disorders and to disseminate knowledge of where and how to secure early and effective treatment for them.

The conference was attended by about 400 interested men and women of Lowell and the general topic of "The Mental Health of the Child" was discussed by such well known authorities as Dr. Walter E. Fernald, superintendent of the Massachusetts School for Feeble-Minded at Waverly; Hon. Herbert C. Parsons, deputy commissioner of the Massachusetts probation department; Dr. William A. Bryan, superintendent of the Worcester State hospital and Dr. George K. Pratt, medical director of the

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PLANTS WORTH MILLION

Seven Sardine Factories Taken Over by New Company in Maine

LUBEC, Me., May 21.—Seven sardine factories, including two in Lubec, four in Eastport and one in Robinston and several hundred thousand dollars worth of stock, all comprising the property of the Seacoast Canning Co., with value of more than $1,000,000, are to be taken over by a new company headed by Robert J. Peacock and comprised of local sardine men and capitalists. The head office will be in Lubec.

About 1500 persons will be employed by the company as soon as fish become plentiful.

STATE CONVENTION OF INDIANA REPUBLICANS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 21.—Indiana republicans went into state convention here today to ratify formally, the action of the republican voters of the state at the primary in selecting Calvin Coolidge as their preference for the presidential nomination and the nomination of Ed. Jackson for governor, to select seven delegates-at-large to the national convention in Cleveland, adopt a platform and name a complete state ticket. The meeting will last two days.

The day's program was one of speech-making, beginning with a keynote address by Senator Watson.

The real work of the 1350 delegates will start tonight with district organization meetings.

MISS RICHARDS LEAVES SYRACUSE

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 21.—Miss Jeanne Richards, dean of women, retires from Syracuse with the ending of this college year, after 29 years of service and will take the direction of the college graduate division of the Katherine Gibbs Secretarial and Executive school at Boston.

TWO HELD FOR LARCENY OF $5000

BOSTON, May 21. Joseph C. Dignan and James F. Brennan, both of San Francisco, wanted for the larceny of $5000 by means of forgery from the Western Electric Co., of that city, were captured here today. Both have confessed, according to the police, and will not oppose extradition.

BAD WEATHER HALTS FLYERS

American Army Aviators Flying Around World Delayed at Hittokappu Bay

Will Not Make Next Hop Until Foggy Weather Clears—Storm Reported

TOKIO, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The American army aviators flying around the world, are being delayed at Hittokappu bay, Island of Yetorofu, in the Kuriles, by bad weather.

An official despatch to the Japanese navy department, sent from a Japanese destroyer on duty with the flyers at 11 a. m. today said that the Americans were waiting until the foggy weather clears.

Both the embassy and the Tokio central observatory sent warnings to the flyers to expect bad weather today and Thursday. Storms are reported all along the eastern and northeastern coast of Japan.

The start of the Americans for Minato in northern Japan, their next scheduled stop now is tentatively set for Thursday, the Japanese despatch said, but in view of the bad weather, it is possible their departure may be delayed even more.

British Flyers at Akyab

SHANGHAI, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—A. Stuart Maclaren, British aviator, flying around the world, arrived at Akyab, Burma, today from Calcutta, said a despatch from the former point received here tonight.

COLDEST MAY 21 IN MANY YEARS

SPRINGFIELD, May 21.—Today was the coldest May 21 recorded here in many years, with an official reading of 41 degrees early in the day. By way of contrast, the United States armory weather observatory reports that three years ago today the mercury reached a maximum of 92 degrees here.

MANVILLE EXPLOSION

Coroner Devlin Reports No One Criminally Responsible for Deaths of 15

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 21.—In a report filed in the superior court today Coroner Hugh M. Devlin finds that the explosion at Manville, on the morning of Jan. 28 last in which 15 persons lost their lives, was caused by illuminating gas which had seeped into the house through the ground from a broken drip pot in the gas main in front of the house. No one is criminally responsible for the deaths of these 15 persons, or for this calamity, the report asserts, but the coroner takes the Pawtucket Gas Co., severely to task for removing pipes and other apparatus from the scene of the explosion before they could be examined, calling the company's action improper. After reviewing the circumstances of the explosion and the views expressed by experts, Coroner Devlin rejects the dynamite detonation theory and concludes by saying: "From the facts disclosed the coroner cannot find that any individual or any corporation involved has been guilty of such gross negligence as to render it criminally liable."

TO CLEAN UP FAKE BASEBALL POOLS

SPRINGFIELD, May 21.—A move to clean up the activities of alleged fake baseball pools operating from Troy and Albany, N. Y., and having this city and Hartford, Conn., as distributing centres, was made today by department of justice agents when a consignment

HERRIOT AND PAINLEVE CALLED

Leaders of New Majority in Parliament Summoned to Conference in Paris

Agree Balancing of France's Budget Imperative Responsibility of Government

PARIS, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The fall of the franc is worrying President Millerand and Premier Poincare to such an extent that they resorted today to the extraordinary course of calling in Edouard Herriot and Paul Painleve, leaders of the new majority in the parliament, to confer with them on the subject as if the men consulted had already become members of the government.

M. Poincare and M. Francois Marsal, the minster of finance, explained that the credit of France was being impaired by doubt as to what course the new government would follow on financial questions. They gave it as their judgment that the leaders of the incoming parties should make clear what their financial policy would be. It is understood the visiting leaders were informed that the banking groups in New York and London which have been assisting the bank of France in maintaining the franc considered it necessary that such a statement be issued. Premier Poincare said he had consulted the leading financiers of Paris and that this was also their judgment.

MM. Herriot and Painleve are described as having said such an assurance would be in the nature of a ministerial declaration before the ministry was formed and without its having had the approval of parliament. They were willing, however, to go to the extent of saying that they regarded the balancing of France's budget as the imperative responsibility of any government.

The conference at the palace lasted nearly two hours. The greatest difficulty met was the phrasing of the declaration to the public which was finally issued in these terms:

"On the initiative of the president of the council a meeting was held at the Elysee in the office of the president of the republic, MM. Poincare and Francois-Marshal explained to MM. Herriot and Painleve the financial situation in detail. MM. Painleve and Herriot affirmed the conviction that a rigorous balancing of the budget is an imperative obligation on any government whatever."

COURT ORDERS MARCINO PLACED ON TRIAL

WORCESTER, May 21.—Judge Frederick T. Broadhurst, in superior court today overruled all the motions that were filed by counsel for Joseph B. Marcino, who is serving a term in the Atlanta federal penitentiary for wrecking the Warren National bank, seeking to avoid trial of Marcino on Worcester county indictments for the bank case. The court ordered Marcino to be placed on trial with Frank L. Taylor and Abraham Goldman who were indicted with him by the Worcester county grand jury. Counsel for Marcino and Goldman waived the reading of the indictments and they stood mute while Judge Broadhurst ordered pleas of not guilty to be entered for them. Taylor pleaded guilty to charges of conspiracy and being accessory before the fact. The jury to try the case was impanelled in ten minutes. Marcino challenging only two veniremen and Goldman only one.

of pool tickets consigned to a Springfield man who denied knowledge of them, was seized in a local express office. The tickets will be sent to Albany and may be used in a Rensselaer county grand jury investigation of fake pools.

The tickets seized here bore the mark of the Universal Baseball Pool of Troy and the sender named on the package was A. Miller of Troy. The name of the man to whom they were consigned here is withheld.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The Boston & Maine Railroad Co. today asked permission of the Interstate Commerce commission to abandon its four mile line from Old Orchard to Camp Ellis, Me.

FEDERAL AGENTS MAKE BIG HAUL IN WOODS NEAR BILLERICA

Arrest Two Chelsea Men and Seize Truckloads of Moonshine, Mash, Sugar, Yeast and Other Supplies and Paraphernalia—Sullivan Leads Raiding Party

Federal enforcement officers early this morning made the biggest moonshine capture ever pulled off in this vicinity when they raided an illicit liquor plant hidden deep in the Bedford woods near the Billerica line and arrested Isaac Katz and Nathan Simon, both of Chelsea and confiscated stills, moonshine, mash, sugar, yeast and other paraphernalia used in the manufacture of liquor.

Simon and Katz were taken before U. S. Commissioner Richard B. Walsh at the Gorham street courthouse at 11 o'clock and after pleading guilty were committed to the East Cambridge jail, there to await bail in the amount of $1000 each to secure their appearance before the United States district court. Both men said they did not own the plant, but had been hired by an unknown man last Monday to "work it" for $35 a week each. Both men have been before the courts before on illegal liquor charges.

The raid was made at 7 a. m. today by Federal Officers Walter Sullivan, assisted by Officers John Hall, Bowditch, McCobury, Snopley and Wiley. Officers Sullivan and Hall had watched the plant throughout the night and early in the morning sent in a call for reinforcements and the seizure followed.

The plant was housed in a specially constructed shack, 100 feet long and 50 feet wide. Within were found two 200-gallon stills in operation, a 50-horsepower gasoline engine, pumps, 300 gallons of "shine," 4000 gallons of mash, one ton of sugar, 100 pounds of yeast, 50 gallons of kerosene and pipe and hose which carried water from nearby brooks.

Early this afternoon Officer Sullivan engaged two 5-ton trucks and sent them to Billerica to haul away the stuff seized.

MEDALS PRESENTED AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

At a general assembly of all classes of the high school this morning, in Cyrus W. Irish auditorium, Miss Beatrice Gravel was presented a silver

MISS BEATRICE GRAVEL

medal by Headmaster Harris, on behalf of the Gregg Shorthand company, as the most accurate writer of shorthand in the school. Bronze medals donated by the same company were presented Miss Mary Hogan, as see-

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BALLOT FOR BISHOPS

Rev. Ralph A. Ward of Foochow Delegation Leads in First Ballot

SPRINGFIELD, May 21.—The Rev. Ralph A. Ward of the Foochow delegation, associate secretary of the China board of foreign missions of the Methodist Episcopal church, led in the first ballot for bishops, announced at the Methodist General Conference session here today. No man gained the two-thirds vote necessary for election. Dr. Ward received 310 votes.

Declaring that they preferred the work of the pastorate to the episcopal office, the Rev. Merton S. Rice of Detroit, Rev. Moris S. Smith of Pasadena, Cal., and Rev. David D. Forsyth, of Colorado, second, third and fifth on the list respectively, withdrew their names on announcement of the ballot.

The first ten on the list received votes as follows: Ralph A. Ward, 310, Merton S. Rice, 255, Merlen Smith, 267, E. Stanley Jones, 215, David Forsyth, 201, Titus E. Lowe, 161, F. J. Wade, 155, G. A. Miller, 136, J. M. Gray, 134, John Thompson, 132.

CHANGE IN COLLEGE HONOR SYSTEM

NORTHAMPTON, May 21.—A proposed change in the Smith college honor system, by which one student would not be required to report another for smoking or breaking other college rules, was announced this morning by President William Allan Neilson. Under the new rule, which will be voted on by the student body, a girl would promise to report herself for any infraction of the rules, and to remind another student if she fails to obey the regulations. In case the latter does not comply with the suggestion to report herself, it is left to the judgment of the individual to report the offender or not.

NOTED AIRMAN KILLED

Capt. Lang, Holder of World's Altitude Record, Killed in Auto Accident

MELBOURNE, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—Captain Andrew Lang, holder of the world's airplane altitude record, was killed today when an automobile which he was driving, crashed into a fence during a dense fog. Lang was driving in a 24-hour test. He was a nephew of Andrew Lang, English author.

PAPERS PASS IN REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Preliminary papers have been passed through the office of R. M. Humphrey, real estate dealer, for the sale of a modern 10-room house at 15 Belmont street by Alice Wilder to Sadie E. Caton for approximately $8000. Included in the transfer is a two car garage and 6000 square feet of land.

Mr. Humphrey also reports that preliminary papers have been signed for the sale of a bungalow and garage at 187 Emerll street. John Blackie is the grantor in this transaction and Annie J. Flanagan purchases for occupancy. The price was about $5000.

Preliminary papers have also been passed in Mr. Humphrey's office for the sale of a seven-room semi-bungalow at 49 Livingston avenue. W. Blake Irving is the purchaser and Emma J. McCabe the grantor.

LOWELL AND HAVERHILL AT ALUMNI FIELD

Lowell high faced Haverhill in a return game at Alumni field this afternoon in the previous meeting about a week ago, the down-river players put over a ninth inning win at the expense of the locals. The score was 3 to 1.

Henry Gibbons was Coach Elston's selection for mound duty today. Against Haverhill in the first encounter, he allowed but three hits and had his opponents at his mercy until the last half of the ninth. He was intent on evening up matters today.

WILL BROADCAST CONVENTION NEWS

A feature of tonight's radio programs is the scheduled broadcast from Station WORH, the Hotel Bancroft, Worcester, of the proceedings of the annual convention of the Massachusetts chamber of commerce. Two items of local interest on this program are an address by Governor Channing H. Cox and an open discussion led by William N. Goodell of the local chamber on the question, "Shall the state chamber reaffirm its support of daylight saving and instruct the board of directors to endeavor to bring about a decisive vote at the polls in November in favor of the retention of the present law."

SERMON ON WOMANHOOD

Rev. William H. Grant, S.T.L., formerly of St. Peter's church, this city and now pastor of St. Mary's church o Ayer, delivered an eloquent sermon n "Womanhood" at the novena service at St. Columba's church last night. Rev Thos. P. Frawley of St. Mary's churc Brookline, will be the speaker this evening. Tomorrow evening the novena will come to a close with special services. Rev. John J. Powers, pastor of St. Columba's church, will deliver the closing sermon.

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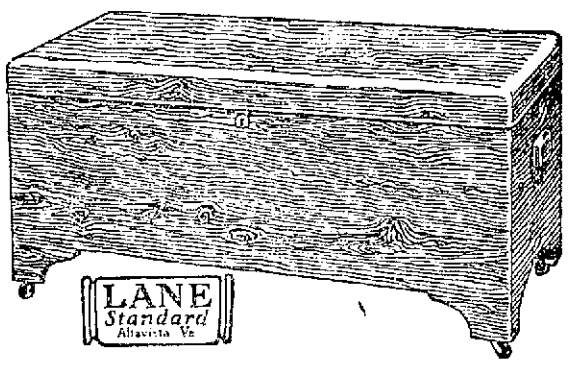
31x4	$14.75	33x4½	$20.50
32x4	$15.25	34x4½	$21.00
33x4	$15.75	33x5	$26.25
35x5	$28.00		

Kirk Street Entrance



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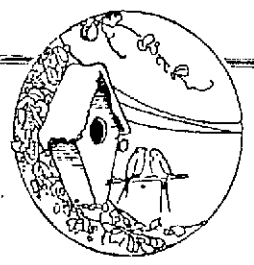

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59c Absorbent Cotton, 1 lb. pkg. 44c
35c Elanel Cocoanut Oil Shampoo... 29c

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Third Floor

Panel Curtains, Marquisette with Italian pattern filet lace insertions, trimmed with wide lace at the bottom; regular prices $3.50 and $3.98. Thursday Special, pair $1.98

7-Pair Lot—Lace Panels, with bottom fringe; regular price $2.50. Thursday Morning Special at $1.50

Panel Curtains, Marquisette or Voile, hand drawn with lace insertion, trimmed with heavy bullion fringe; regular prices $5.50 to $7.50 the pair. Thursday Morning..... $3.00
(The above panels sold in pairs only)

Nottingham Lace Curtains, 2½ yards long, white only; regularly $3.50 pair. Thursday Morning $1.00

Plisse Cloth, suitable for the new Dolly Madison Bed Spreads, 72 inches wide, in blue or rose stripes, also for French shades, in bed-room or sun parlor; regular $1.98 values. Thursday Morning, per yard $1.25

SHOE DEPT.
Street Floor

Women's Shoes, broken lots of Queen Quality and Boston Favorite brands, Oxfords and Pumps, with low heels, suitable for girls or women who wear low heels; values to $7.50. Special Thursday Morning Only $1.00

GLOVE SHOP
Street Floor

16-Button Silk Gloves, in gray, beaver, mode; regular price $2.00. Thursday Morning $1.50

WASH GOODS DEPT.
Street Floor

Printed Voiles, in good assortment of both light and dark grounds. Special Thursday Morning, yard..... 29c

DOMESTIC DEPT.
Street Floor

"Fruit of the Loom" Pillow Slips, 42x36 each 29c

LINEN SHOP
Street Floor

All Madeira Work at..... Half Price

DRESS GOODS SHOP
Street Floor

Baronet Satin, 5 colors and white; regularly $1.98. Thursday Morning, per yard $1.39

NECKWEAR DEPT.
Street Floor

Collars and Collar and Cuff Sets; regular prices 50c and $1.00. Thursday Morning Special, each 25c

TRIMMINGS
Street Floor

Bandings, lace and embroidered; regularly $1.00 and $1.50. Special Thursday Morning, yard 25c

BOYS' SHOP
Street Floor

Large Boys' Penrod Top Coats, fine tweeds, polos, sizes 6 to 14; values $11.95, $14.95. Thursday Morning Special at $9.95

Boys' Caps, fine tweeds and polos, 6 3-8 and 6 3-4 sizes; values at $1.45. Thursday Morning at 95c

Blue Serge 2-Pants Suits, sizes 8-9 only, extra good weight; $11.95 values. Thursday Morning $9.95

Fine Penrod Sailor Suits, fine checks, cashmeres and tweeds, sizes 2½ to 6; values from $7.50 to $11.95. Thursday Morning Special $5.95

Penrod Blue Serge Eaton Suits, sizes 4, 5, 10 only; big values at $9.75. Thursday Morning at $7.95

BOOK CORNER
Street Floor

Standard Classics and Popular Fiction, a table full at ..... Half Price

MEN'S SHOP
Street Floor

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; 50c values. Thursday Morning Specials, at..... 35c, 3 for $1.00

Men's Athletic Plain and Striped Voile Union Suits; $1.00 values, all sizes. Thursday Morning Special, at.... 69c

Men's Striped Madras Shirts; values at $1.50. Thursday Morning Only, at 89c

KNIT UNDERWEAR SHOP
Street Floor

Women's Summer Weight Vests, fine cotton and lisle, bodice style, in all sizes; regularly 59c. Thursday Morning at 39c

Silk Underwear Sale All This Week— Pure Silk Vests, Bloomers and Stepins, at sensational savings.

NOTION DEPT.
Street Floor

10c Colored Enameled Dress Hangers, 4 for 29c

10c Collar Bands, small sizes only. To close out 5c

69c Tussah White Silk Linings, short waisted 49c

79c Guaranteed Moth-proof Bags. Special 49c

HOSIERY SHOP
Street Floor

Children's Fine Cotton Hose, black, Richelieu rib, sizes 6 to 9½; regularly 35c. Thursday Morning 19c, 2 pairs for 35c

Women's White Lisle Hose, regular and outsizes, full fashioned; regular prices $1 and $1.25. Thursday Morning Special at..... 69c, 2 pairs for $1.25

Women's Sport Rib Lisle Hose, in black and colors; regularly 50c. Thursday Morning..... 39c, 2 pairs for 75c

HOME EQUIPMENT DEPT.
Basement

Beauty Wall Dryers, 8 hardwood arms, adjustable; regularly $1.25. Thursday Morning 98c

Towel Bars, nickle plated on brass; special values at 49c. Thursday Morning Only at 29c

GROCETERIA
Basement

Snider's Spaghetti..... 2 for 25c
T. & K. Formosa Oolong Tea, ½ lb. 35c
Woodcock Macaroni, pkg. 20c

SILVER AND GLASS SHOP
Third Floor

Water Glasses, plain; regularly 50c a dozen. Thursday Morning, doz. 35c

6-Inch Relish Dish, Poinsettia cutting; regular 49c value. Thursday Morning, 19c

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Twenty-five Hats taken from stock, all new, trimmed and tailored, a few sailors, black and colors. While they last, Thursday Morning $2.00

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Street Floor

Beads—Colored bead necklaces, graduated style, one size bead with rondells, big variety of colors and shapes; regular $1.00 values. Thursday Morning Special at 79c

Ear Drops—Drop Earrings for unpierced ears, pendant and hoops, all colors; regular 59c values. Thursday Morning at 29c

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Home Equipment Section—Basement

CHARLES A. COTE DEAD

Well Known Citizen Died Last Night at His Home in Coral Street

Charles A. Cote, Jr., a well-known resident of this city and proprietor of the Cote Auto Livery in Paige street, died last night at his home, 52 Coral street, aged 35 years. Mr. Cote had been suffering from an illness for some time but was able to be about until only a few days ago.

Mr. Cote started in the auto livery business slightly more than 11 years ago and for many years had his headquarters in John street. A short time ago he purchased the holdings of the Lowell Taxi Company in Paige street and since then red mare the latter place his office.

He was a member of the C.M.A.C., Lowell lodge, B.P.O. Elks, Lowell Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and the Washington club. In addition to his many friends in fraternal organizations, he will be mourned by a host of friends and acquaintances throughout the city.

Besides his wife, Eugenie (Langlois) Cote, he leaves three daughters, Irene, Gertrude and Lillian Cote; his father, Charles A. Cote, Sr., and a brother, William Cote, all of this city.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BURNS—Died in this city, May 20th, at St. John's hospital, Thomas J. Burns. The funeral will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 201 West Sixth st., and there will be a solemn high funeral mass at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The arrangements are in charge of Funeral Directors James W. McKenna Sons.

CONNORS—Died in this city, May 21, at her home, 25 Nesmith street, Mrs. Honora Connors. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from the home, 25 Nesmith street. Solemn high funeral mass will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

COTE—Died in this city, May 20th, at 52 Coral street, Charles A. Cote, Jr., aged 35 years. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the home, 52 Coral st. A solemn high funeral mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at Notre Dame de Lourdes' church. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. Undertakers Amedee Archambault and Sons in charge.

DEATHS

CONNORS—Mrs. Honora Connors, a well known resident of the Immaculate Conception parish, died early this morning at her home, 25 Nesmith street, after a long illness. She leaves two daughters, the Misses Mary and Annie Connors and three sons, Jeremiah, with D. T. Sullivan, coal dealer, Joseph H., an instructor in the Boston public schools; and Edward J. Connors, the latter the well known traffic supervisor of the police department.

McELMAN—Charles McElman died Monday evening in Clifton, Mass., at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. C. Crochet. The body will be brought to Lowell and burial will be in the Edson cemetery at 4 o'clock.

MASSES—Died at the Children's hospital Boston, yesterday afternoon, Athera Masses, beloved child of Mike and Ellen Masses. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers N. Bilodeau and Sons.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Knitting Room of the Shaw Stocking Co., and all those who by their many acts of kindness, floral and spiritual bouquets, helped to lighten the sorrow in the death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Hannah Blake.

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36 INCH ALL SILK SATIN CHARMEUSE
High standard grade, in a rich jet black, at an astounding low price for Thursday Morning. Yard.... 98c

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New, crisp quality, in black only. Another sensational value for Thursday Morning Yard 97c

54 INCH ALL WOOL BASKET WEAVE
For sports dresses, skirts, etc., in tan and gray. Thursday Morning at a most radical reduction. Yard..... $1.39

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36 inches wide. A knitted material favored for dresses, etc., wanted colors. Yard..... $1.10

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A fashionable silk of exquisite quality, in a good assortment of colors. Thursday Morning Only—Yard $1.69

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Large size, made of good quality muslin. Pair 35c

KALBURNIE GINGHAMS
A wide range of checks and plaids in this splendid quality; fast colors. Yard 20c

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36 inches wide; all pure linen of Irish and Belgian makes; an excellent selection of colors. Yard.... 69c

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Soft quality; while it lasts Thursday Morning, in white and pink. Yard 12½c

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25c quality; pretty designs and colorings. Yard 18c

OIL CLOTH TABLE COVERS
Large size, 54x54; dull, embossed finish, in blue, green and wine designs. Each 58c

FUNERALS

DESILETS—The funeral of Emile G. Desilets took place this morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 36 Beech street. A solemn high funeral mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Louis de France church by Rev. J. B. Laboissiere, assisted by Rev. F. X. Gauthier as deacon and by Rev. F. X. Tanguay as sub-deacon. The church choir, under the direction of Olier J. David, rendered Vou's mass. At the offertory the choir sang "Domine Jesu Christe", at the elevation Rosewig's "O Meritum Passionis" was sung by Mrs. Louise H. Chalifoux, and at the end of the mass Mrs. Amanda David sang "Les Dernieres paroles d'un pere." The resident took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where, at 9 o'clock, a mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. William Dacey of the cathedral, Boston. The choir, under the direction of Miss Sarah Murray, rendered the Gregorian chant. The solos were by Miss Frances Tighe and Mr. Timothy Finnegan, Miss Murray presiding at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Charles Gannon, Thomas Dalton, Thomas Dalton, Jr., William Doyle, John Dalton and William King. There was a profusion of floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Joseph A. Curtin. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BOYLE—The funeral of Peter Boyle, for many years a resident of Lowell and well known in the Centralville district, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated by Very Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O.M.I. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Charles P. Smith, rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos in the mass being sustained by Mrs. Hugh Walker and Mr. Smith, Mrs. Walker also presiding at the organ. The bearers were Paul L. Foye, Frank Dooley, Peter Dooley, Frank Howell, Gerald J. Duffy and Thomas F. Duffy. There were many floral and spiritual offerings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SHAUGHNESSY—The funeral of John F. Shaughnessy took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 26 Mason avenue, North Billerica, and was largely attended, among whom were the following from out of town: Anthony, James, Cecilia, Elizabeth, Margaret Shaughnessy, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. James Shaughnessy, John Shaughnessy, William Shaughnessy, all of Manchester, N. H.; Mrs. Martin, Mrs. McNell, Frederick Martin, Bessie McNell, Newman Martin, Mrs. Edward Martin, Mrs. Matthew Martin, Walter Martin, Mrs. Leslie Gove, all of Worcester. The cortege proceeded to St. Andrew's church, where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. John W. Cunningham. The choir under the direction of Miss Etta Hoar, rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos in the mass being sustained by Mrs. Esther Hannon and Mr. James Gannon, Miss Hoar presiding at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Matthew and Edward Martin of Worcester, nephews of the deceased; Howard T. Conway, Bernard McCabe, James Clancy and Leslie Gove. Present representing the Loyal Order of Moose were William T. Harvey, James W. Gannon, Louis Brouillette and James Brady. From the Holy Name society were Past President Timothy J. Donehue and Edward McMillan. There were many floral and spiritual offerings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Cunningham. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MASS NOTICE

QUINN—There will be a high mass of requiem for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Annie Quinn Thursday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Michael's church.

The first rubber road was laid in London in 1913 and is still in good condition.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many kind friends and neighbors, we take this means of expressing our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness, and words of condolences extended to us in the loss of our beloved father and husband and also to those who sent floral tributes and spiritual bouquets, including the finishing room of the Merrimack Woolen Co. Also the expressmen of the Middlesex street stand. To all we are deeply grateful and their kindness shall never be forgotten.

MRS. RICHARD E. HERITY AND FAMILY.

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Stylish models in fine polaire and camelaire, plain colors, plaids, checks. Novelty collars and pockets, full lined, well made. Sizes 6 to 16 years. $4.49 Third Floor

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For High School Field Day—Fine quality white jean, approved by authorities. All sizes. They'll go fast at 97c Third Floor

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Stylish hats in fine straws and novelty silk materials, beautiful trimmings. All the new colors. They are wonderful at $1.00 Second Floor

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Never before and never again will such wonderful coats be offered to you at $14.85
Styles that are distinctive. Materials are Polret Twills, Verzella, Velatona, Hi-Low, Camelaire, Downy Wool, Novelty Plaids. Every coat fully lined. See the new shades. All sizes.

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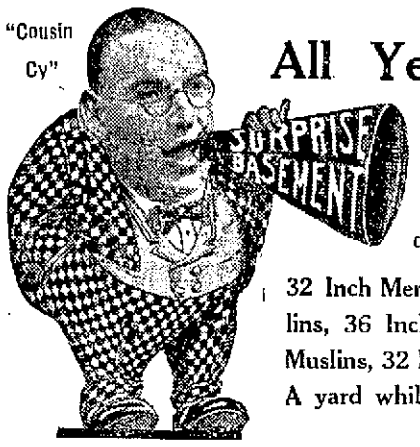
One glance at these handsome dresses will convince you that they are super values at $12.50
New Summer Silks, Pussy Silk Stripes, Canton Crepes, Foulards. All the new colors, and the styles will delight you. Sizes 16 to 20 and 36 to 46—Mostly one of a kind, and so pretty—You'll want at least two of them, at $12.50

300 NEW SILK BLOUSES
Just arrived—pretty blouses in crepe de chine, roshanara crepe, crepe knit, silk prints, effectively trimmed—All the new colors. SIZES 36 to 46. $2.19 Street Floor

165 FINE UMBRELLAS
Novelty handles, well made, good quality, ivory rings and leather straps on handles. You know how fast the last lot went—Well these are even better, so get here early. 99c

200 PRETTY SILK SCARFS
Fine crepe de chine and novelty silks, long and wide, plain colors, polka dots, Chinese effects, batik designs, many with monograms. While they last. 94c



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Choice of the following Fabrics that are valued at double this sale price and more—
32 Inch Mercerized Pongee, all colors, Double Ply Mercerized Poplins, 36 Inch Extra Heavy Cretonnes, Hill, Fruit, Lonsdale, Pride Muslins, 32 Inch Best Dress Ginghams, 40 Inch Fine Fancy Voiles—A yard while it lasts 19c

BUNGALOW APRONS
Just Arrived
Made up of Standard Ginghams, Linenes and Percales. Included are extra sizes, well made and nicely trimmed. Not more than 2 to 1 customer, at 69c

TURKISH TOWELS
In pink, blue and gold stripes, size 36x18, a good weight Turkish Bath Towel. You can buy two for the price of one in our Surprise Basement. 19c

Full Lined High Grade Sport Coats
FOR THE EARLY SHOPPER
We have only 17 of these fine coats. Sizes 36 to 44, in grey or tan, lined throughout. Finest materials. Come early or you will miss these at..... $7.69

FRENCH CREPE
Silk Stripes and Checks, 36 inches wide.
These beautiful Dress Crepes come in all shades. Their regular selling price is just double what we ask for it in our Surprise Basement, per yard, 79c

CREPE DE CHINE
40 Inches Wide. Pure Silk
Here is a Wonder Silk Value, all colors, heavy weight. This silk crepe de chine is worth a lot more money. Our Surprise Basement offers it to you at $1.17

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS
Dandy Lisle Union Suits with fancy lace tops, 36 to 44. Surprise Basement Price 21c

BATH RUGS
Extra heavy large size Bath Rugs with pink, gold, blue or white borders. This is half price. 69c

36 INCH MARQUISETTE
These are mill ends of White Curtain Marquisette with twice this price and more, yard 9c

TABLE DAMASK
Full 58 inches wide, Mercerized Table Damask, good heavy weight, in 5 pretty patterns, yard 29c

DRESS GINGHAMS
In checks, stripes, plaids and plain colors; a standard grade of Dress Gingham that washes well, yard 14½c

36 INCH LONGCLOTH
English Chamois Finished Longcloth, lengths 11½ to 10 yards. You would gladly pay twice as much for it. Surprise Basement Price, yard 11c

WAR ON BOOTLEGGERS

Funeral of Man Slain in Fight With Rum Runners Conducted by K. K. K.

Residents of Suffolk County, L. I., Pledged to War Against Bootleggers

NEW YORK, May 21.- Many residents of Suffolk county, Long Island, virtually were pledged today to "war" against bootleggers and liquor runners after such action was urged at the funeral of Ferdinand J. Downs of Southampton, slain in a fight while hunting liquor carriers last Friday.

At the funeral of Downs, which took place yesterday under the direction of the Ku Klux Klan, more than 5000 persons assented when the four ministers present spoke the pledge to carry on the fight which cost Downs his life.

Two of the ministers were in klan regalia, as were 200 of the 5000 klansmen there. But both ministers and klansmen kept their faces bared and did not use masks.

SIDETRACK McNARY-HAUGEN BILL

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Discussion of the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill was sidetracked in the house today by an agreement for consideration of miscellaneous measures. The debate will be resumed tomorrow under the program, accepted late yesterday allowing 15 hours for general discussion, and calling for day and night sessions in an effort to get action by Saturday night or early next week, despite the delay yesterday in making a start.

Men!

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Girl's Breach-of-Contract Action May Change Divorce Procedure

MRS. JOSEPHINE GERTRUDE LAW SCOTT AND HER COUNSEL, JUDGE OCIE SPEER

BY ELMER ROESSNER, N.E.A. Service Writer

FORT WORTH, Texas, May 21.—A quarrel between a "big baby boy" and and a big beautiful girl may revolutionize divorce proceedings in the United States.

Winfield Scott, Jr., a 22-year-old millionaire, filed suit for divorce against Josephine Gertrude Law Scott. Did she file counter suit? She did not!

She sued Scott for breach of contract, asking $100,000 damages.

Her attorneys contend marriage is a civil contract and breaking the contract makes it invalid, holding the violator of the contract responsible for damages.

Finish Fight

They hold Scott violated his contract to love, cherish and protect. Therefore, they assert, his wife is entitled to damages just as a contractor may be when a lumberman fails to deliver his materials.

If the United States supreme court upholds Mrs. Scott's contention (and both sides declare they will carry it that far), legal authorities, who have studied the case, declare this is what may happen:

1. Divorce suits will be unnecessary. Wives will prefer to sue for breach of contract because they can collect damages in a lump sum instead of chancing alimony.

2. All present grounds for divorce will be unnecessary. It only will be necessary to prove the marriage agreement has been broken.

3. Divorce through breach of contract suits will be possible in every state, as the contract laws are basically the same.

4. It will be possible to remarry immediately after a breach of contract separation.

Only One Precedent

The Scott experiment has only one precedent. That case was filed in Texas, too.

Mrs. Emma Lee Gowin sued Jesse C. Gowin. She was awarded $1000. An appeal was taken, but there the case rests. But because of the much larger amount involved, it is expected the Scott case will be pushed as the test case.

The legal background was prepared by Ocie Speer, former chief justice of the Texas appellate court.

Scott, an only son of a wealthy Texas cattleman, married after a dynamic courtship in Kansas City. The wedding was decided upon at 11 p. m. and at midnight a justice of the peace performed the ceremony in their hotel room.

The match followed close upon Scott's ardent attentions to Peggy Joyce Hopkins. Scott never saw Miss Hopkins, but he sent many presents to her during a visit to New York. His banker intervened and brought Scott home.

In Automobile Business

"My boy is so misunderstood," his mother declares. "When he was a baby, we thought he would not live long. Many times I carried him on a pillow, fearing every breath would be his last.

"Naturally, when he grew up we gave him everything he wanted. He is just a happy-go-lucky boy."

Scott came into a large share of a $5,000,000 estate when his father died. Upon his maturity he entered the automobile sales business because he liked to ride in automobiles.

He charged his wife with drinking, smoking and using bad language.

"The nerve!" she said. "I made a man out of him in four months."

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A two-reel comedy.

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While walking in Perry street last evening, James Covey found an envelope which bore the stamp, "Mother's Aid" in the corner and contained $22.50. He reported his discovery to the police, who soon learned the identity of the owner and returned the envelope to her.

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TONIGHT—FINAL PERFORMANCES OF THE GREAT DRAMA, "HOODMAN BLIND"—DON'T MISS IT!

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM

Spanish-American War Veterans Receive General Orders—Exercises Outlined

Lowell veterans of the Spanish-American war have received official general orders covering the program of observance of Memorial day. The Memorial committee of Gen. Adelbert Ames camp 19, U.S.W.V., has completed all arrangements for the exercises to be held in this city in memory of dead veterans of the war of 1898. Commander John F. McBride of Camp 19, has issued the following official orders:

The graves of all comrades in the various cemeteries of Lowell will be decorated in the afternoon of Saturday, May 24, by the Memorial day committee. All comrades who wish to volunteer their assistance will report to Senior Vice-Commander I. E. Parks, chairman of the Memorial day committee, at St. Patrick's cemetery, at 1.30 p.m.

Comrades will report at the new quarters, Memorial Auditorium, on Sunday, May 24, at 10 a.m., and march in a body to St. Paul's M.E. church, Hurd street, to attend memorial services. In the afternoon, the comrades will reassemble at Memorial hall at 2.15 p.m., to participate with the G.A.R. in the Memorial services at the First Congregational church.

All comrades are urged to take part in the parade to the cemeteries. American Legion post and Disabled American Veterans of the World war are to act as escort to the Spanish war veterans. All comrades will assemble promptly at 12.15 p.m. at Memorial Auditorium. Formation of parade will be in order at 12.45 and column will immediately take up line of march.

The veterans will be reviewed at city hall by the mayor and municipal council members. The column, proceeding to St. Patrick's cemetery, will halt for the memorial ceremonies at the soldiers' lot. Edson cemetery will be visited next and these ceremonies completed, the camp will proceed directly to South common, to participate in the parade of the G.A.R. posts. After passing in review at city hall, members will at once march to Memorial hall for refreshments. There will be an entertainment there, with prominent speakers.

The general orders issued by Commander John C. McBride give the detail of the day: Color guards, A. E. Richardson and John Ward; official, George A. Lussier, adjutant.

The uniform of the day, U.S.W.V. and white gloves. Service uniform and white gloves. Civilian clothes and white gloves. Only members of the U.S.W.V. and ladies' auxiliary will be permitted to participate in the exercises; no children allowed. The Mendelssohn male quartet will report at St. Patrick's cemetery at 1.30 p.m. to render appropriate selections at the soldiers' lots. The 389th Field Artillery Reserve corps band will report to the officer of the day at Memorial hall, promptly at 12.40 p.m. Carriages with disabled comrades and clergy will report to Past Commander Frank Dodge at Memorial hall, at 12.45 p.m. All provisions of this order will be strictly adhered to, subject, however, to unforeseen circumstances causing changes.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, TO MEET

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 21.—The place of meeting of the special session of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, called last night for July 2 by the college of bishops in session here to consider the proposal for unification recently adopted by the general conference of the northern branch of the church, is expected to be fixed at an early date by the committee on arrangements, headed by the Rev. S. H. C. Burgin of San Antonio, Tex.

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TODAY IN WASHINGTON

Senate and house meet.

Senate and house tax bill conferees meet.

House judiciary committee resumes the beer bill hearing.

House commerce committee begins a hearing on rate legislation.

American Institute of Architects opens in 57th annual convention.

Senate foreign relations committee takes up world court proposals.

Senate agriculture committee proceeds with the Muscle Shoals hearing.

House committee investigating the shipping board, continues its inquiry.

Senate elections committee continues its hearing on the Mayfield contest.

Senate Interstate committee is called to consider pending bills.

House irrigation committee holds hearing on the Work fact-finding commission report.

House rivers and harbors committee resumes consideration of the Chicago drainage canal proposal.

JOYCE WETHERED WINS

PORTRUSH, Antrim, Ireland, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—Joyce Wethered again triumphed over Cecil Leitch today, eliminating her more experienced opponent, in the fifth round of the British women's open golf championship by a score of six up and four to play.

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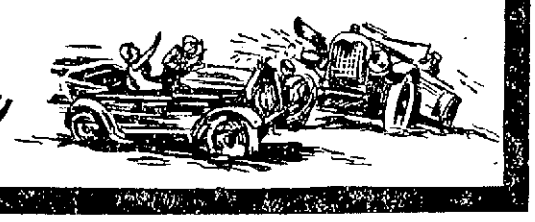

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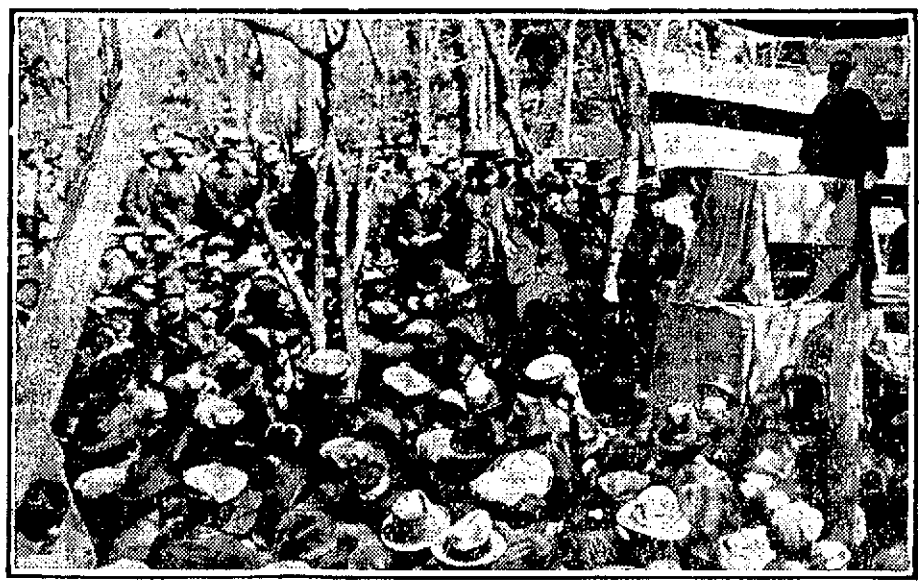

A JAP PROTEST AGAINST EXCLUSION ACT

This is the first anti-American demonstration staged in Japan since congress took up consideration of the exclusion act. It was held in Sano Park in Tokyo. "Down with arrogant America," the speaker shouted. And the crowd took up the cry.

AUTOMOBILES STOLEN

Lowell Machine Among Many Stolen by Alleged Members of Ring

BOSTON, May 21—Clifford D. Thompson of Melrose, his wife, Doris Thompson, William J. Booth of Everett and Wilfred P. J. Marchant of Watertown, were put on trial yesterday afternoon before Judge Sisk and a jury in superior criminal court on a charge of larceny of automobiles.

More than 50 witnesses will testify for the government. Among those who lost automobiles are: William W. Turner of Braintree, William Diehl of Natick, Leland A. Woods of 99 Bedford street, this city, Jacob Ziskind of Lowell, John F. Coleman of 245 State street, this city, William J. Weyland of Leonard street, Dorchester, Joseph Godman of Brookline, Manton A. Woods of 25 Jersey street, this city, W. Russell Warner of Medford, and Burnett & Sherman of 1019 Commonwealth avenue, this city.

Many of the automobiles were recovered at Portsmouth, N. H.

The diamond is the hardest substance known.

THAW HELD IN $10,000

Pleads Not Guilty to Attack on Gump Boy, Kidnapping and Conspiracy

NEW YORK, May 21—Harry K. Thaw is held in bail again today, after a few brief hours of absolute freedom. He pleaded not guilty yesterday to two indictments charging him with kidnaping Frederick Gump, Jr., in 1916, and with second degree assault, and was held in $10,000 bail.

Soon after he left the court another indictment, charging conspiracy to take Gump, then 16 years old, out of the jurisdiction of the court after the alleged attack was discovered. Thaw returned and pleaded not guilty to this also. Bail will be adjusted today. The civil action in the Gump case was settled out of court

There were indications that Gump, who now is married and living in California, would not come here to testify against Thaw, in which case it would be impossible to try the case and the defense would move to have the indictments quashed.

Thaw recently was declared sane by a jury in Philadelphia and after years of confinement in an asylum, was given his full liberty just before starting for New York to answer the Gump charges.

NEW REGULATION AT POSTOFFICE

Under a recent regulation of the postmaster-general, the names of all postal clerks on duty at windows in the main and sub postal stations must be displayed on or near the window so that it is visible to all persons doing business at the window. At the local station this regulation has been complied with and neatly printed signs reading: "Mr. so-and-so is on duty at this window," are placed on the counters near the windows.

GIBBONS DEVELOPS A SHORT PUNCH

CHICAGO, May 21.—Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul light heavyweight, who meets Georges Carpentier, at Michigan City, Ind., May 31, is developing a short punch he believes will puzzle the Frenchman. He tried it yesterday in workouts of two rounds each with Tillie "Kid" Herman and Andre Anderson, his sparring partners.

The training staff of Carpentier has been increased by two heavyweights, Soldier Kingalight, and Jack Taylor, eastern negro. Carpentier went two rounds with each yesterday in addition to rope skipping and punching the sandbag.

TOKIO PAPERS REGRET WOOD'S RESIGNATION

TOKIO, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—Vernaculars in editorials today generally view with regret the resignation of Ambassador Woods. A number of the newspapers fear the effect the resignation will have on the already strained American-Japanese relations.

The Yorozu Choho, jingo journal, says that the impending changes of ambassadors at Tokio and Washington almost simultaneously are not reassuring to the future of Japanese-American dealings. This newspaper quotes army officers recently returned from America with statements that the United States is becoming an imperialistic power, the youth of the nation being trained to militarism under various educational guises.

The Miyako Shimbun speaking of Ambassador Woods, regrets that Japan loses a good friend, "at a time when Japanese-American relations are in a critical state."

The Chugai Shogyo profoundly sympathizes with Ambassador Woods "in the trying predicament in which congress has placed him in the face of his efforts to cement Japanese-American friendship.

The Jiji Shimpo says the immigration bill "displeased the Japanese as never before but the nation is sincerely grateful toward Woods."

FOR VACCINATION OF ALL EMIGRANTS

ROME, May 21.—The first committee of the international emigration conference has approved a motion by the Italian delegates calling for medical examination and vaccination of emigrants before their departure.

The third committee adopted an Italian proposal for the exchange of information respecting markets and employment between the emigration and immigration countries, with a view to the collective engagement of workmen.

The meetings of the conference are of a private executive nature.

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Imperial Linen Paper, put up in pound packages. A fine paper for social correspondence; regular price 50c. Thursday Special 39c

Envelopes to match, 24 in package, pkg. 15c

Street Floor

Umbrellas

Women's All Silk Umbrellas with one and one half inch satin tape, with tips and ends, 10 ribs, the new short stubby style; blue, brown, red and purple; regular price $6.50. Thursday Special $5.00

Women's All Silk Umbrellas, made on strong close-rolling frame, silk tape edge; blue, brown, red and purple; regular price $4.00. Thursday Special $3.40

Street Floor

Thursday Specials 8.30 a. m. to 12 Noon

Hosiery -- Underwear

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, with lisle knee and sole; were 58c. Thursday Special 20c

Women's and Misses' Ribbed Sport Lisle Hose, brown only; were 75c. Thursday Special 35c

All of Our $2.00 Women's Silk Hose, full fashioned in black and colors; firsts. Thursday Special $1.85

Children's Union Suits, small sizes, soiled; were 75c. Thursday Special 25c

Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, cuff and shell knee; were 60c. Thursday Special 50c

Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, cuff knee; regular size only; were 50c. Thursday Special 38c

Rug and Drapery Section

Ruffled Curtains, of plain scrim, hemstitched band and tie-backs. Reg. price $1.00 pair. Thursday Special ..... 75c Pair

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Madras Lace Curtains, (natural color), in two grades, very rich patterns, suitable for every room in the house.
Reg. price $2.75. Thursday Special ..... $2.00 Pair
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Panel Curtains, with fringe, the latest creation in curtains; can be used single or pair, in different styles and qualities. Reg. price $8.50 to $6.00 pair. Thursday Special $3.00 to $5.00 Pair

Terry Cloth, the best grade, double face, two different colors, for over-drapes and portieres. Reg. price $1.29 yard. Thursday Special ..... 89c Yard

3x9 ft. (Gold Seal) Congoleum Runners, (Seconds), slightly imperfect, only about 50 runners in lot. Reg. price $4.50 each Thursday Special ..... $1.98 Each

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Reg. price	$2.00	$2.50	$3.50
Thursday Special	$1.50	$2.00	$3.00

Fourth Floor

Stamped Articles

Stamped Children's Dresses, 4 to 12-year sizes, of zephyr gingham, linene, checked and plain colors; pink, blue, brown and peach; all fast colors; regular price $1.25 and $1.29. Thursday Special 98c

Stamped Night Gowns, all made with finished necks, of fine quality batiste, all new patterns; regular price $1.25. Thursday Special 98c

Stamped, 36 inch Centers and 54 inch Scarfs, on Indian head, all new patterns; regular price 59c. Thursday Special 39c

Small Lot of Laces, counter soiled, 1 to 4 inch width, mostly cluny, suitable for scarfs and centers; regular prices 25c to 65c. Thursday Special. 5c and 10c

Street Floor

Toilet Goods

Calox Tooth Powder, regular price 25c. Thursday Special 19c

Forhan's Tooth Paste; regular price 41c. Thursday Special 37c

Palm Olive Talcum Powder; regular price 25c. Thursday Special 10c

Denney's Cold and Vanishing Cream; regular price 50c. Thursday Special 35c

Coty's Paris Perfume; regular price $3.00 oz.. Thursday. Special. oz. $2.00

Street Floor

Sweaters, Jacquettes and Knitted Suits

Worsted Slip-on Sweaters, combination collar and cuffs; can be worn high or low. Colors, buff, gray. Sizes 36 to 42. Regular $3.95. Thursday Special..... $1.79

Worsted Jacquettes, in color combinations, very good values. Sizes 38 to 44. Regular $4.95. Thursday Special $1.79

Pure Silk Tuxedo Sweaters, rack patterns, braided sash, wonderful values. Navy and black. Sizes 40 to 44. Regular $24.95. Thursday Special $12.95

Knitted Dresses, silk and wool quality, white linen collar and cuffs. Colors, navy, Harding, and buff. Sizes 36 to 40. Regular $6.95. Thursday Special $3.95

Sport Knitted Suits, quality Rib-Jersey, black design. Colors, buff, Harding and grey. Sizes 40 to 46 only. Regular $21.95. Thursday Special $14.95

Second Floor

Cut Glass

Cut Glass Goblets and Sherbets, optic with daisy cutting. Thursday Special, ½ dozen $1.50

Street Floor

Hair Nets

Hair Nets, double mesh, cap shape, all shades including grey and white. Thursday Special .....6 for 27c

Infants' and Children's Section

Rompers, made of chambray in blue and pink, made good and full; ages 2 to 4 years old; regular price 98c. Thursday Special 59c

Khaki Colored Overalls, trimmed with red; ages 2 to 4 years old; regular price 98c. Thursday Special....59c

Waist and Drawer Combination, of cross-bar muslin, for children; sizes 10, 12, 14; regular price 98c. Thursday Special 59c

Third Floor

Wash Goods

Heather Mixed Batine, 36 inches wide, in a good range of colors, quite popular for sport wear; regular price 95c yard. Thursday Special, yard 79c

Batine, 36 inches wide; this is an exceptionally good cloth; we've all the wanted shades; regular price 75c yard. Thursday Special, yard 59c

Gauze Marvel, 32 inches wide is the most popular tissue gingham made; we've a large assortment of new patterns. Thursday Special, yard 49c

Lorraine Gingham, 32 inches wide, this is one of the best domestic ginghams made, also a fine Scotch gingham in a nice range of patterns; regular price 69c yard. Thursday Special, yard 49c

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Fancy Turkish Towels in pretty large checks in pink, blue and gold; regular 49c value; each.....35c, 3 for $1.00

Mill Remnants of Mercerized Black Sateen, high finish; regular 39c value; yard 25c

Mill Remnants of 32 Inch Playtime Cloth in pretty stripes and checks, fast colors; regular 25c value at, yard 19c

Remnants of 36 Inches Wide Drapery Cretonne, in pretty floral patterns; regular 49c value, at, yard..... 33c

Remnants of 36 Inches Fancy Stripe Drapery Poplin, fine for furniture coverings and auto upholstery; regular 50c values at, yard 33c

Mill Remnants of 40 Inch Fine Printed Voiles, also plains to match in the new colors and patterns; regular 29c value at, yard.....19c

40 Inch Colored Organdy, a fine crisp fabric for ladies' and misses' dresses in the new shades; 33c value, yd. 25c

Mill Remnants of Fancy Border Curtain Scrim, in white, ecru and beige; regular 25c value at, yard 15c

Mill Remnants of Otis Ginghams, good heavy quality, for aprons and overalls; regular 29c value at.....17c

81x90 Seamless Sheets, made of a standard sheeting with 3 and 1 inch hems; regular $1.69 value, at, each $1.25

Pillow Cases, size 45x36, made the right way of cotton; regular 45c value, 35c, 3 for $1

40 Inch Fine Unbleached Long Cloth, fine for general use; regular 22c value, at, yd. 14c

Heavy 36 Inch Unbleached Cotton, good quality for sheets and pillow cases; regular 22c. value at, yard.....15c

36 Inch Product Cotton, bleached, for general use. Thursday Special, yd. 12½c

40 Inch Salisbury Unbleached Cotton, especially for sheets and pillow cases; regular 26c value at, yard.....19c

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DRY GOODS SECTION

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Women's Hose in tan, nude, white and black. Special, pair 10c

Children's Ribbed Hose, black and cordovan; sizes 5½ to 9½, at, pair..... 10c

Women's Vests, fine Jersey lace and band tops; 25c value, at, each 15c

Children's Nainsook Union Suits, 59c value, at, suit 35c

Children's Socks, fancy tops, all sizes; 25c value, at, pair 15c

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A Mixed Lot of Women's Novelty Low Shoes, several styles in lot, including Growing Girls' Patent Colt, 1 strap, low rubber heels, Goodyear welt, sizes 3 to 7, C width; regular price $4.00. Thursday Special $2.25

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Misses' and Children's Low Shoes Pumps and Oxfords, black or tan leather; sizes 11½ to 2. Thursday Special $1.49

Boys' Tan Scout Shoes, sizes 1 to 6. Thursday Special $1.65

Men's New Style Tan and Black Wide Toe Oxfords, Goodyear welt; sizes 6 to 11. Thursday Special $2.98

Children's Patent 1 Strap Sandals, sizes 4 to 8; regular $1.25. Thursday Special 85c

White Tennis Shoes for Field Day, all sizes—
With heels $1.10
Without heels $1.25

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, color, ecru; long and short sleeves, double seat, ankle length drawers; $1.00 value. Thursday Special .....65c, 2 for $1.25

Men's Jersey Ribbed Mesh Nainsook Union Suits, short sleeves, sleeveless, knee and ankle length; 89c value. Thursday Special:
69c, 3 for $2.00

Boys' Nainsook Union Suits, sizes 24 to 36, such made as Stacey & Vim Brand, $1.00 value. Thursday Special,
59c, 2 for $1.10

Men's Work Shirts, made of good percale, madras, cheviot and blue chambray $1.50 value Thursday Special,
79c, 2 for $1.50

Boys' Play Suits in khaki or blue with red trimming, sizes 2 to 8 years; 35c value Thursday Special,
79c, 2 for $1.50

Men's Fibre Silk Hose, black, tan, heavy cordovan, double sole, 50c value. Thursday Special.....39c, 2 for 75c

Men's Khaki Pants, army shade sizes 30 to 44; $1.50 value Thursday Special,
79c Pair

BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

Boys' Wash Suits, new styles, colors and combinations; sizes 3 to 8 years; regular price $1.00. Thursday Special 79c

Boys' Overalls, made of heavy denim, plain blue; guaranteed not to rip; sizes 6 to 14 years; regular price 89c. Thursday Special 69c

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Princess Slips, made of lustrous satin, plain and self-striped, bodice top, plain hem or finished with pleated flounce of same or contrasting colors; fancy stitching; navy, black, brown, grey, tan, green and blue; 36 to 44, regular $1.50 value. Thursday Special $1.20

Children's Rompers and Creepers, made of finest gingham, chambray, poplin, plain colors or combination of white top with assorted colored bottoms embroidered in colors or trimmed with white organdie, 1 to 6; regular $1.00 value Thursday Special 88c

Children's Dresses, made of gingham and chambray, low waist line, gathered and pleated skirts, fine and medium checks or plaids; trimmed with contrasting colors and embroidery; pretty styles and colors; 7 to 14½; regular $1.50 value. Thursday Special $1.25

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EXCELLENT PROGRAM BY THE BYAM SISTERS

Kitson hall was filled to capacity last evening when an interested audience gathered to enjoy the excellent program given by the Byam sisters for the benefit of Troop 3, Girl Scouts of America.

Miss Anna Saville Byam, 10 year old pianist opened the program with a pleasing solo by Anthony. Miss Byam was heard to advantage during the evening and her numbers were well interpreted. She also accompanied her sisters, Raenette and Virginia in their numbers.

Little Miss Raenette Wetherbee Byam, 7 year old dancer, was most entertaining in her interpretation of numerous solo costume dances.

Miss Virginia Byam gave several readings which were greatly appreciated by the audience.

Miss Virginia Byam, elocutionist, is the pupil of Mrs. Elsie Powers Corwin. Miss Reanette is the pupil of Mrs. Julian R. Keyes, while Miss Inez Beals, teacher of pianoforte has Miss Anna Byam as a pupil.

At the conclusion of the program the young ladies were presented bouquets in recognition of the excellent program given.

The program was as follows:

Piano Solo, Happy Greetings.Anthony
Anna Saville Byam
Monolog, The Husband's Holiday
Kate F. Ellis
Virginia Frances Byam
Dance, Bluet.....Music by Frank
Raenette Wetherbee Byam
Mrs. Thomas M. Smith, Accompanist
Monolog, Mamie-by-the-Day
Lily Carthew
Virginia
That Waltz of von Weber's
Words by Nora Perry
Music by Gardner
Reading to Music with Dance
Virginia
Piano Solos.
a—The Wayside Brook
Seymour Smith
b—In the Meadows.....Anthony
Anna
When Grandma Was Young...Parker
Monolog in Costume With the Minuet
Virginia
Dance to Little Bo Peep
Music by Wegman
Raenette
Group.
a—Since Father Has a Radio
Chas. Wagner
b—The Hindoo Paradise
George Birdseye
c—Who-Who-Who-Whoo
Harold Gardner
Virginia
Salute by Group of Girl Scouts
Singing of Star Spangled Banner by all

PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE GOOD INVESTMENT

Rev. Merchant S. Bush, M.A., university student pastor of Greater Boston, was the speaker before the members of the Educational club at their regular meeting held in Kitson hall yesterday afternoon.

Previous to the lecture, a short business session was held with President Mrs. Elizabeth D. Leggat in the chair. Mrs. W. S. Jessop read the rol call and minutes of the last meeting following which Rev. Mr. Bush was introduced.

"The United States has embarked on the greatest educational program in the world," said Mr. Bush in opening his talk. "You all believe in education, but the problem is to get the principles and foundation in education right, as well as the methods and things taught right. Always bear in mind that what you invest in the public schools you are going to get out of them in this generation."

Citing as an example the results of the compulsory study of hygiene and physical education, Rev. Mr. Bush stated that because of this study the children were able to distinguish the dangers of narcotics, alcohol and tobacco. "Those children, grown men and women, were able to put over the prohibition law.

"At the close of the Franco-Prussian war the German leaders determined to make Germany a great country. How did they achieve this end? They taught the children in the schools that Germany was a mighty power. When the war came, each individual believing that Germany was a great country readily assented to remain true to her.

"A nation can be transformed in a generation. As you teach the children, what you put into the public schools, such may you expect the nation to become.

"There is today, however, a great need of religious training. Although some may say, let the child distinguish for himself, the state dictates differently. The child must be taught the English language. He must be taught the fundamental principles of education. But all this is sociology and ethics without God. That is all the state can do; it remains for you to teach the boy and girl of God."

Rev. Mr. Bush then spoke of the excellent work accomplished by the public schools today. He advocated the Sterling Towner bill, and also stated that we are in need of a state university to which all may be permitted admittance. He also traced the growth of the child from childhood to young manhood and womanhood, stating that it is while the child is young that things should be taught as they are usually better retained than at a later age.

CUTICURA HEALS LARGE PIMPLES

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"Pimples broke out all over my face. They were large and red and festered, and itched and burned so badly that at night I used to lie awake and scratch them. I had a terrible looking face. I read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a free sample. It helped me so I purchased more, and after using Cuticura Soap and Ointment for about a month I was completely healed." (Signed) Henry Hayes, 553 First St., So. Boston, Mass., Sept. 10, 1923.

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OUT OUR WAY

FRATERNAL NEWS

A regular meeting of the World war Associates, Inc., was held last evening in Memorial hall with President Eli B. Hart in the chair. It was voted to have the secretary forward letters of appreciation to Representative John Jacob Rogers, Senator Lodge and Senator Walsh for their efforts in behalf of the soldiers' adjusted compensation bill. It was also voted to accept the invitation of Walker-Rogers post, V.F.W., to attend the water service at the Auditorium, May 30.

Lowell Wamesit lodge, I.O.O.F., M.U., met Monday evening in Grafton hall with P.G. Tom Robinson presiding in the absence of N.G. Corfield. P.G. Hugh Ferguson was named as a committee of one to represent the lodge in connection with plans for the observance of Flag day. Delegates Hugh Ferguson and P.G. McEacrett reported on the district convention held recently.

Wamesit Staff association met Sunday morning, but owing to the small attendance, no business was transacted.

WILL BOWL IN LAWRENCE

A bowling match will be staged in Lawrence tonight between Billy McDermott's Gorgons five of this city and the Moose team of Lawrence. A return match will be played in Lowell Friday night. Mr. McDermott has assumed charge of the Roseland alleys and will "carry on" there during the summer months.

SILESIANS AND CUBAN GIANTS

If rain doesn't interfere, the Silesia mills team of North Chelmsford will play the Cuban Giants at Silesia park this evening. The Giants are a colored aggregation, and are regarded as first-class ball players. They have met and defeated some of the best teams in the country, and hope to continue their victorious sweep with a verdict over Gilmore's men. The game will start at 6 o'clock.

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TO MERGE METHODIST CHURCH BOARDS

SPRINGFIELD, May 21. A recommendation for the consolidation of the Methodist church boards of benevolence, will come before the Methodist general conference as an order of the day today. Another issue of major interest awaiting action, is a report of the committee on the state of the church suggesting modifications in the church law on amusements.

The election of bishops will continue this morning, the first ballot taken yesterday not having given to any one man the two-thirds vote necessary for election. There are five vacancies on the board of bishops and changes in assignments are expected to send three of the new bishops to foreign fields, two remaining at stations in this country.

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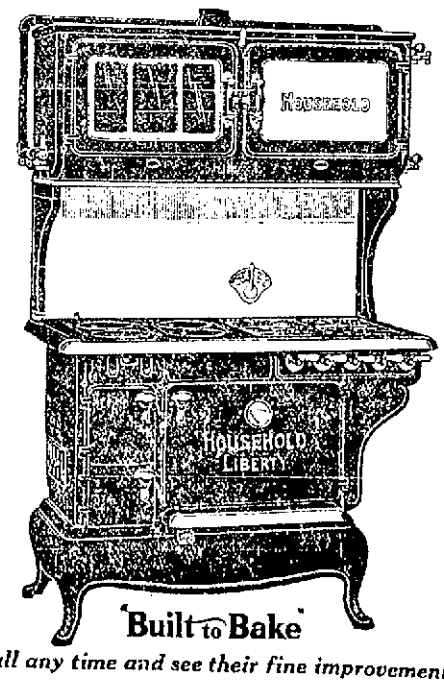

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RECRUITS FOR MILITARY TRAINING CAMPS

Col. Charles A. Stevens, chairman of the Middlesex county campaign to enlist recruits for the coming citizens' military training camps at Ayer (Camp Devens), desires to bring to the attention of all citizens of Lowell the need of immediate action. If any wish to procure reservations for the month's training of young men, scheduled for August.

Col. Stevens is authorized representative for the Military Training Camps association—a civilian recruiting agency for the "C. M. T. C." Mr. Steven's Lowell address is 573 Wilder street, this city, and he will be very glad to hear from any young man desiring information concerning the camp. He has appointed as assistant civilian recruiter, Mr. George O. Robertson, whose business headquarters, 82 Prescott street, are conveniently located in Lowell and where application blanks and full information may be obtained.

In addition, Mr. Stevens has appointed local civilian representatives in each of the 27 towns of the county. More than 2000 application blanks have been received for Camp Devens training season thus far, and those desiring to take this month of training and enjoy 30 days in the open with swimming, athletics, baseball and other outdoor amusements, all free of charge, are urged to lose no time in procuring application blanks from either of the aboved-named citizens.

POOR CHILD, WHY ARE YOU SO THIN?

Doesn't your mother know that Cod Liver Oil will put pounds of good healthy flesh on your bones in just a few weeks?

Tell her every druggist has it in sugar-coated tablet form now so that you won't have to take the nasty, fishy-tasting oil that is apt to upset the stomach.

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The Operation I Avoided—

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IF there is one thing more than another a woman dreads, it is a surgical operation, and to be told that one is necessary is very disheartening.

Hospitals are grand institutions, and undoubtedly many operations are necessary. However, we have received hundreds of letters from women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after an operation had been deemed advisable.

Every woman who suffers as Mrs. Coffman did naturally wishes to avoid an operation if possible, and the remarkable statements which she makes in her letter will be read with interest by women everywhere.

Mrs. Coffman's Letter Follows:

SIDELL, ILLINOIS.—"I was a nervous wreck. I was suffering from a pain in my left side which was noticeable at all time but sometimes it was almost unbearable and I could not even let the bed-clothing rest on my body at night. I had been sick for seven years but not so badly until the last 18 months, and had become so rundown that I cared for nobody and would rather have died than live. I couldn't do my work without help and the doctor told me that an operation was all there was left for me. I would not consent to that so my husband brought me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and begged me to take it. I have taken fourteen bottles of it and I feel ten years younger. Life is full of hope. I do all my housework and had a large garden this year. I never will be without the Vegetable Compound in the house and when my two little girls reach womanhood I shall advise them to take it."—MRS. IDA M. COFFMAN, R. R. No. 2, Sidell, Illinois.

Another Operation Avoided

DAYTON, OHIO.—"I was sick for eight weeks and had three doctors. They told me I would have to be operated upon before I would be any better. My sister told me about the Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. In one week's time I began to feel better. I took seven bottles of it and also some of the Liver Pills and used your Sanative Wash and I soon gained my health. I recommend your medicines to all women who feel badly and have troubles of this kind and I will answer all letters sent to me by women."—MRS. GRACE B. GILLEM, 270 Valley Street, Dayton, Ohio.

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OUTLOOK FOR BUILDING OPERATIONS REASSURING

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The outlook for building operations was described as reassuring by William B. Faville of San Francisco, president of the American Institute of Architects, in his executive report at the opening session today, of its 57th annual convention.

Mr. Faville criticized the Brown plan for reorganization of the executive branch of the government in its relation to architecture, and told the delegates, who were here from all parts of the country, that the problem of city planning presented a challenge to their art.

He also announced that a joint international conference and exhibition of community planning would be held in New York city in 1925, in connection with the next annual convention of the institute.

With reference to community planning, Mr. Faville declared the urban communities were faced with tremendous problems, with their growth accelerating at a rate never before known.

"Let us never forget," he urged, "our individual achievements in plan and design can never produce the type of community in which human beings can live and work with pleasure and grow constantly toward a fuller and nobler ideal unless the basic plan be a sound one."

REHEARSING FOR MINSTREL SHOW

Members of the senior class of the high school are conducting rehearsals several times a week at the school, in preparation for a minstrel show that will be given in conjunction with the Senior day observance, the date of which has not yet been announced.

The committee in charge of the Senior day program follows: Francis Campbell, Elmer Elliott, Francis Mulholland, James Daley, Ernest Spencer, Helen R. B. Sullivan, Annabel Perry, Beatrice Breton, Doris Hill and Nottie Rostler.

WITNESSES TESTIFY IN AUTO COLLISION CASE

Testimony of persons who were in the vicinity when the accident occurred was given in superior court here today in the trial of the four-cornered tort action involving Albert H. Evans, the Yellow Taxicab Co. and Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston of Birmingham, Ala., and the collision of automobiles at the intersection of Pine and Wilder streets last November.

Among the witnesses were Stewart Eggleston, George Garmon, Police Supt. Thomas R. Atkinson, Sergt. Michael H. Winn and Officers Leahey and Moore. The police officers testified to marks found in the roadway after the accident and the positions of the two cars with relation to the easterly side of Wilder street. Much questioning by counsel had to do with whether lights were seen burning on the taxicab after the crash.

EXPLOSIONS WITHIN CRATER OF VOLCANO

HONOLULU, May 20.—(By the Associated Press) Unusually heavy steam clouds were emitted from Kilauea volcano, now undergoing a period of great activity throughout today. There were explosions within the crater at 2.49 and 4.40 o'clock this afternoon.

Four heavy earthquake shocks were felt at Naalehu station, Mrs. W. J. Stephens, wife of a sugar company overseer, reported over the telephone to Hilo.

A flow of lava from the Puna Kau opening may relieve the situation, it is thought. This flow is a recent development.

A cheese weighing 1 ton, 16 hundredweight and 3 pounds has been made in Australia for exhibition purposes.

HARTANFT IS DECLARED ELIGIBLE

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., May 21.—Glenn Hartanft, star Stanford weight man, whose eligibility to compete in the I. C. A. A. A. track meet at Boston, May 31, has been questioned, has been declared eligible by the Stanford faculty athletic committee. He will compete in the shotput and discus throwing.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

(By Theatres' Own Press Agent)

RIALTO THEATRE

Seldom does the national board of review issue such an enthusiastic statement as that which followed the appearance of the William Fox special production, "The Blizzard," which opens at the Rialto theatre Thursday. The board states that "The Blizzard" is a photoplay which would be outstanding for one episode alone, if for nothing else. As it is, it abounds in noteworthy features of story, acting and treatment. The episode that is unique in the realm of the motion picture spectacle is the terrible adventure with the reindeer in the blizzard. Here the whole sequence—action is most unusual pictorially and achieves, without recourse to hokum, a convincingly thrilling situation.

The story of "The Blizzard" tells of a youth who inherited his father's musical talent as well as that old individual's lackadaisical love of the open road. Hoping to replenish his waning fortune, the boy ventures into the far north country to return with a great herd of reindeer, from which the country folk get meat and milk and hides. In a blizzard the herd stampedes. So awful is the experience of the youth that his mind cracks and he becomes a harmless, pitiful half-wit. Back in his own country he hears a violin played by a girl of his childhood, a little wandering circus player. His mentality returns and he discovers that stones he has saved contain copper ore and he found them on his own decaying estate. A capable cast presents the picture, with Mary Johnson, known as the Pickford of Europe, in the leading role. The reindeer stampede scene in this picture is said to be the most startling shot ever filmed. Thousands upon thousands of the animals are shown in a mad rush through a blinding snowstorm.

H. C. Witwer's fight classic, "Fighting Blood," is also on the "card" and in this the fifth round will be shown. These little stories, all complete in themselves, furnish all the elements of entertainment. They contain plenty of good laughs as well as an abundance of action. H. C. Witwer's modern titles in slang are a "knockout."

The latest episode of "Haunted Valley," with Ruth Roland, "The Old Sea Dog," a Snub Pollard comedy and a Fox News complete the bill.

THE STRAND

We unqualifiedly recommend today's program at the Strand to lovers of good photoplays. "When a Man's a Man" is Harold Bell Wright's story that made such a big stir when published in book form originally. Its adaptation to the screen has carried with it more pronounced success than the book. See it for the last times today. Then there is the comedy drama, "Second Youth," that has laughs galore in it, the usual comedy and Weekly as well as the musical numbers. The program for the week-end, starting with matinee on Thursday will have Marshall Neilan's production, "The Rendezvous," with an all-star cast, and also "Jealous Husbands," a drama of real worth. Don't miss this picture treat. It starts tomorrow.

"The Rendezvous" is typically Russian and offers the producer a type of story that is entirely different from picturizations he has handled in the past. Conrad Nagel, as an American army officer, is the principal male character who goes over to Russia and there shows the worth of a doughboy's resourcefulness and courage when fighting with his back against the wall. It has a delightful love story and some of the strongest dramatic scenes imaginable.

"Jealous Husbands," is a present-day story that will appeal to all. You will recognize many phases of present-day life as we know and read about, and its telling is artistically and very cleverly done. Wives and husbands who are inclined to be jealous and over-suspicious should not miss seeing this offering for it affords food for thought. You will learn a good lesson on unreasonable and hasty conclusions if you take it to heart.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

The Quixy Four, vaudeville's best singing quartet, heads the lineup of good things at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. The four men are not only good singers, but excellent instrumentalists. Morton & Gordon, "Two Black Dots" are exceedingly funny with their original comedy and Mack & Lane, in nutty fun, are among the week's features. Then there are the old friends, Hunting and Francis in "The Photo-Graffer," and Edith and Violet Walsh, accomplished singers. The opening act is that of Martinet, juggler and magician, who has a pet crow. "Gambling Wives" is the big picture feature, and it is crammed with most unusual situations of real dramatic value. The presenting cast holds such sterling players as Marjorie Daw, Hedda Hopper and Ward Crane.

MERRIMACK SQUARE

Final performances will be given this evening at the Merrimack Square theatre of "The Next Corner," the Paramount production which has created so much favorable comment since its opening here last Sunday. Lon Chaney, Conway Tearle and Dorothy Mackaill are in the leading roles.

Manager Peterson offers for the last three days of the week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, a program of unusual excellence. The feature will be "The Man Life Passed By," a Metro special with a cast which includes Jane Novak, Percy Marmont, Eva Novak, Cullen Landis and Hubart Bosworth. The companion attraction will be Fred Thomson in "The Mask of Lopez," starring Fred Thompson, noted athlete, in a story of the great west.

"The Man Life Passed By" is swift-moving drama, loaded with action, and with skilful comedy touches. Tear-moving and thrilling, with fun and fights and punch and passion, it is a picture for all fans. Not only are there scenes of rich luxury, and gay reckless parties, but scenes of direct poverty, and the haunts of the underworld.

Particularly exciting is the raid on the "Spotted Dog," where Moore's younger daughter has taken her guests, after her father's secretary put an end to the during frolic at her home. The raid sends the distracted girl fleeing into the arms of her father's enemy, and the scenes that follow will grip every spectator. The climax occurs when the repentant man goes to "Iron Man" Moore's home to ask for justice, and is shot down. But of course the tangle is happily straightened in the end.

One of the most effective sequences in the picture is the Roman Revel given by the younger sister. The garden is decorated to resemble an arena, and the guests are all attired in the togas and draperies of the days of Nero and Titus. A chariot race is run around the "course" with the young men of the party acting as horses.

"The Mask of Lopez," the second feature, gets you right on the jump and holds you all the way. That is the most essential thing in the entire makeup of a moving picture.

Lloyd Hamilton, in his latest and funniest comedy, "The Educator," and the latest International News will complete the bill.

For four days, beginning Sunday, the management announces Thomas Meighan in "The Confidence Man" and Elaine Hammerstein in "Drums of Jeopard," a big double-feature bill.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Louis A. Gendreau of Carlisle and Miss Alice Moreau, a well known young lady of Centralville and a popular member of the Children of Mary sodality of St. Louis' church, were married at that church at a nuptial mass celebrated at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, by Rev. E. J. Vincent. Mr. Noe Gendreau and Mr. William Moreau, fathers of the bridegroom and bride respectively, attended as witnesses. The bride wore a gown of white georgette crepe. Her veil was caught up with a band of pearls and she carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses, sweet peas and lilies-of-the-valley. Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Moreau, 5 Bunker Hill avenue. Present at the breakfast were guests from Fall River, Fitchburg, Carlisle and Nashua, N. H. Mr. and Mrs. Gendreau left on a honeymoon tour and upon their return Saturday evening, they will be tendered a reception at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Gendreau will make their home in Carlisle.

Jodoin—Achin

Mr. Ephrem N. Jodoin and Miss Clara Achin were united in the bonds of matrimony at a nuptial mass celebrated in the chapel of St. Joseph's rectory at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, by Rev. Emile Boldue, O.M.I. Mr. Napoleon Jodoin and Mr. Henri Achin, father of the bridegroom and brother of the bride respectively, attended the couple. The bride wore a beautiful gown of cocoa brown with hat to match. She carried a bouquet of Ward roses. Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, 382 Fletcher street, by the Harvey Catering Co. A reception was tendered the bridal couple following the breakfast. Mr. and Mrs. Jodoin left on an extended wedding tour to New York and Atlantic City and upon their return they will make their home at 7 Willie street.

Crosier—Garland

Mr. Charles Crosier of Cleveland, O., and Miss Marion E. Garland of Dracut, were married Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, by Rev. Samuel Dupertuis of the Hillside Congregational church. The bride wore a gown of white crepe de chine and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses. Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Crosier left on a honeymoon trip to New York city and other places of interest. They will make their home in Cleveland, O., where Mr. Crosier is employed as engineer by a prominent firm.

Fitzgerald-Martin

One of the prettiest weddings of the season was solemnized at a nuptial mass celebrated at 8 o'clock at St. Patrick's church this morning, when Mr. George Martin of West Virginia and Miss Catherine Fitzgerald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzgerald were united in the bonds of matrimony. Miss Agnes Fitzgerald, sister of the bride, attended as bridesmaid, while Mr. William P. Lester acted as best man. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white flat satin crepe. Her veil which was of Dutchess silk net, was caught up with orange blossoms and lilies of the valley. She carried a shower bouquet of sweet peas and lilies. The bridesmaid wore a gown of sea blue satin with hat to match and carried pink sweet peas. The bride's gift to the bridesmaid was a string of pearls while the best man was presented a set of gold cuff links, the gift of the groom. Following a wedding breakfast served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin left for the south where they will visit Mr. Martin's mother.

Previous to the arrival of the wedding party at the church, Mr. William Paul McCarthy rendered the following program: "Spring Song," Mendelssohn, "Cantilene Nuptiale," Dubois; "Wedding Day," Wagner; "Thou Art as a Flower," Schuman; "Meditation," Sturgess, and "Toccata," Dubois. Miss Frances Tighe rendered two appropriate solos during the mass. The usual nuptial music was played for the processional and recessional, Mr. McCarthy presiding at the organ.

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TOTS' NEW COATS, sizes 7 to 10	$4.35

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DEPRECIATION OF FRANC SUBJECT OF CONFERENCE

PARIS, May 21.—The depreciation of the franc is beginning seriously to pre-occupy the government and it is understood to have formed the principal subject of Premier Poincare's talk with President Millerand yesterday as it will that at the cabinet meeting called at the foreign office today.

Reports are even current that several of the most prominent ministers favor resigning at once and transferring the task of government to the new majority of the left, holding that inactive continuation of office by the present administration until the first week of June is likely to be extremely prejudicial to the financial situation.

In any case both the president and premier are agreed that M. Herriot and Painleve, respectively radical and republican-socialist leaders, must be called into council when any measure of importance is considered and it is expected M. Millerand will ask both to call at the Elysee Palace today.

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RADIO BROADCASTS

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

KGI, MEDFORD

6.30 p. m.—Stock market reports, world market survey, Boston police reports; message to Camp Fire Girls by Charles W. Casson, Big Smoke.

7 p. m.—Meeting of the Big Brother club.

7.30 p. m.—Evening program: Health-o-gram, by Rev. B. M. Heald; concert arranged by the Toreador club; five-minute talk by Reinhard S. Speck, boys work director of the Gloucester Y. M. C. A.; five minutes of facts about fish, Frank W. Robinson; trio selections, Agnes S. Marshal, cello; Virginia Lockwood, violinist; Marion MacDonald, pianist; oral hygiene, by Dr. C. C. Nelson, doctor dental surgery; selections by string orchestra, Cape Ann lodge, Loyal Order of Moose.

9 p. m.—Talk by Charles Kammerer on The Life of the Boston Terrier, the only American Bred Dog.

9.15 p. m.—Popular song hits, Don Ramsay at the piano. Ada Rock and Perry Fulton; weather report and time.

WNAC, BOSTON

4 p. m.—Debate, Resolved that Women Have Done More for the Advancement of Civilization than Men Have, affirmative, the Lowell high school faculty; negative, students of Lowell high school.

5 p. m.—The Day in Finance.

6 p. m.—Children's half hour; Silah D. Baker, reader; Mildred M. Bastion, pianist.

6.30 p. m.—WNAC dinner dance, Checker Inn orchestra.

7.30 p. m.—Baseball results.

8 p. m.—Harvard Freshman Glee club, G. Sidney Stanton, director, assisted by Carleton Smith, flutist, and Marion Lowd, soprano.

9-10 p. m.—Concert program, Genaro A. D'Allessandro, basso cantate; Harry F. Morse, violinist; Lucy Bean Millington, pianist.

10 p. m.—May dance, the Shepard Store Mutual Aid association, broadcast from Somerset hotel.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD

6 p. m.—Dinner concert by the WBZ String orchestra.

7 p. m.—Results of baseball.

7.10 p. m.—Organ recital.

7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story.

7.40 p. m.—Program of chamber music by the WBZ String orchestra.

8.30 p. m.—Concert by Perry's Ye Old New England Choir; Maude Turner, soprano; Gertrude Greeley, mezzo-contralto; Everett Cutler, tenor; Frederic Perry, baritone; Gladys Grant, pianist.

10.55 p. m.—Time signals.

11 p. m.—Summary of the day's events at the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

11.30 p. m.—Weekly midnight Boston dance concert by Leo Reisman and his orchestra.

WJZ, NEW YORK

4 p. m.—Fashion talk.

4.10 p. m.—Daily menu.

4.20 p. m.—Furnishings.

4.30 p. m.—Hotel Commodore tea music.

5.30 p. m.—Agricultural reports; farm and home reports; New York stock exchange; foreign exchange quotations.

7 p. m.—Story for Boys and Girls, by Florence Smith Vincent.

7.20 p. m.—Financial Development of the Day.

7.30 p. m.—Selzer's orchestra.

7.45 p. m.—Alms and Objects of English Speaking, by John Daniel.

8 p. m.—Boulevard orchestra.

8.35 p. m.—City official series talk by Hon. Edward T. O'Laughlin.

8.50 p. m.—Marion F. Ledos, soprano.

9.05 p. m.—Reminiscences of a Reporter, by William H. Crawford.

9.25 p. m.—An Evening at Log Tavern.

10 p. m.—Race.

10.30 p. m.—Emil Coleman's Trocadero orchestra.

WEAF, NEW YORK

4 p. m.—Beatrice Goodwin, soprano, accompanied by Winifred T. Barr.

4.25 p. m.—Nathan Gluck's harmonists.

5.30 p. m.—Harry Hadley Schyde, bass baritone, accompanied by Winifred T. Barr.

6 p. m.—Dinner music.

7 p. m. Synagogue services. Address by Rabbi Arthur Neulander. Piano solos by Harry Kaufman.

7.30 p. m. Sport talk by Thornton Fisher.

7.40 p. m.—Mary Cantor and Sarah Alter, in a program of piano duets.

7.50 p. m.—Bringing the Berry Patch to the Table, by Gabrielle Elliott.

8 p. m.—Learning and Memory, introductions to Psychology, by Dr. Gardner Murphy.

8.20 p. m.—May Cantor and Sarah Alter, piano duets.

8.30-10.15 p. m. Public policy committee session of the National Electric Light association, direct from the new Million Dollar Pier at Atlantic City. Program, orchestra selections by Zez Confrey and Paul Whiteman's orchestra; address by Hon. Arthur Capper, senator, state of Kansas; selections by Efrem Zimbalist, famous violinist; brief address by Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover, direct from Washington, D. C.; selections by Efrem Zimbalist, violinist.

EASTERN STANDARD TIME

KDKA, PITTSBURG

5 p. m.—Baseball scores.

5.20 p. m.—Concert by the Pittsburg Athletic Association orchestra.

6 p. m.—Baseball scores. Dinner concert continued.

6.30 p. m.—The children's period.

6.45 p. m.—News bulletins.

7 p. m.—Programs arranged by the United Synagogue of America.

7.30 p. m.—Address by John Duss, celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Harmony society.

7.40 p. m.—Market reports.

8 p. m.—Concert by the Black Cat orchestra.

9.55 p. m.—Time signals. Weather forecast. Baseball scores.

KYW, CHICAGO

6 p. m.—News.

6.45 p. m.—Bedtime story.

7 p. m.—Joska DeRabary's orchestra.

7.10—Paul Whiteman's Collegians.

8 p. m.—Musical program. Dick Lloyd, the singing electrician.

9 p. m.—Good Roads talk.

10 p. m.-2.30 a. m.—Midnight revue.

WGY, SCHENECTADY

5 p. m.—Produce and stock market; news bulletins; baseball results.

6.30 p. m.—Story.

7.30 p. m.—Selections by Zez Confrey and Paul Whiteman's orchestra. Address by Arthur Capper, United States Senator from Kansas, violin solos by Efrem Zimbalist. Address by Herbert Hoover, United States secretary of commerce.

WRC, WASHINGTON

4 p. m.—Song recital.

5.15 p. m.—Instruction in international code.

6 p. m.—Stories for children.

6.15 p. m.—A talk under the auspices of the Smithsonian institute.

WCAP, WASHINGTON

7.25 p. m.—Baseball results.

7.30-9.15 p. m.—Same as WEAF.

9.15-10 p. m.—A Bob Lawrence community concert from Eastern high school, Washington; music by the United States Army band; choral music by the Baltimore and Ohio Glee club; vocal solos by Ethel Holtzclaw Gawler, soprano; Benjamin Y. Morrison, basso; Harlan Randall, baritone; instrumental numbers by Rosemary Finckel, pianist; Dawson and Doyle, banjoists; Hugh Alexander, harmonica soloist.

WTAM, CLEVELAND

6-7.30 p. m.—Dinner concert. News and baseball scores.

8-9 p. m.—Musical program.

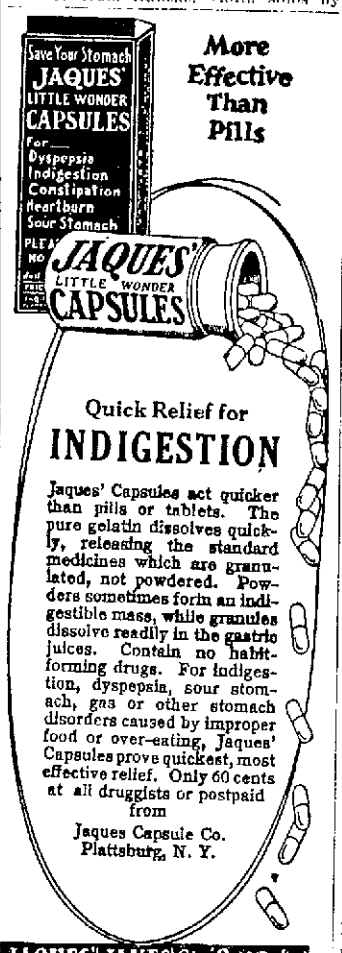
9.05-11 p. m.—Concert. Edward's Jolly Five orchestra. Northeast Y. M. C. A. minstrel troupe, Alyce Flahaven, xylophone, Carl Knoch and Fred Perfors, mouth harp, Hon. Harry L. Devis, ex-governor of Ohio, address.

COMMODORE BALLROOM

William Hardy and his orchestra will engage in a battle of music tomorrow night with Miner-Doyle's famous aggregation at the Commodore ballroom on Thorndike street. Hardy comes from Oak Bluffs, Mass., and has, for several seasons, played at the leading summer resorts on the South Shore. The team is composed of high-grade musicians and in the rendition of snappy dance music is clased as a top-notcher. It is the second appearance of this orchestra in Lowell and while at the Commodore on Tuesday evening the team delighted a large gathering of dancers. Miner-Dlyle's, as is well known, always pleases, and the combination for tomorrow night will undoubtedly play to a large gathering. The dancing surface is in fine condition and it is an extreme pleasure to spend an evening at this popular resort. Nothing has been left undone for the comfort and convenience of those seeking amusement along this particular line and Owner Braun has many ideas which will be tried out in an effort to make the Commodore the up-to-date and most modern dance hall north of Boston. For an evening of genuine enjoyment hear the battle of music between the two orchestras tomorrow night. The admission is 50 cents.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK

ROME, May 21.—An earthquake shock was felt on Tuesday at Pievepelago, Pavullo and other places in the Frignano region, southwest of Bologna. No harm was done.



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SLIGHT DECREASE IN COST OF LIVING

(Special to The Sun.)

BOSTON, May 21.—A decrease of about one per cent. in the cost of living in the month of April, as compared with the month of March, is shown by figures published today by the state commission on necessaries of life.

The drop is due chiefly to a considerably lower scale of prices for food, and a small reduction in the cost of fuel and light, this being due, probably, to letting the furnace fire out, and to the longer days and shorter evenings.

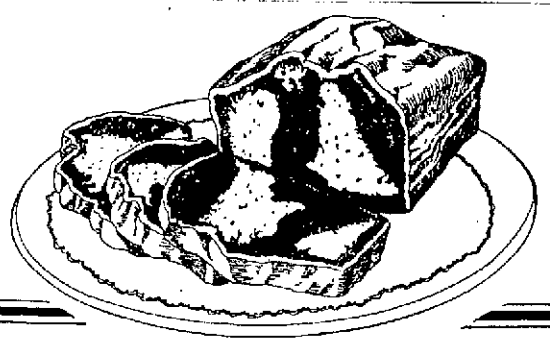
Using the pre-war prices of 1913 as a basic rate of 100, the commission reports that in April the cost of living in Massachusetts was 157.7, as compared with 159.2 in March, and with 158.5 in April, 1923.

For the various factors entering into the cost of living, the comparative figures for March and April were: Food, 139.0, 136.1; clothing, 186.2, 184.9; shelter, 168.0, 168.0; fuel and light, 178.8, 177.1 sundries, 171.4, 171.4.

The drop in the food figures was due largely to lower prices of fish, eggs, milk, butter, cheese, tea, sugar, molasses, onions, canned goods, prunes, vinegar and oatmeal. On the other hand, prices of meats, lard, coffee, flour, meal, bread, rice, potatoes, evaporated apples and dried beans were slightly higher.

The clothing figures also fell off. Items showing the greatest decrease were shoes, hats, gloves, underwear and cotton goods, while suits, hosiery and collars showed slight increases.

Figures for fuel and light were lowered by the seasonal decrease in the price of hard coal, which was but slightly offset by an increase in the price of gas in Lowell. HOYT.



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3 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
2¼ cups pastry or bread flour
3 teaspoons Cleveland's Baking Powder
¼ teaspoon salt
⅔ cup milk
2 squares (2 oz.) unsweetened chocolate or ⅓ cup cocoa

Cream butter until light and fluffy; add sugar a little at a time, beating well; add beaten eggs and vanilla. Sift the flour with the baking powder and salt and add a little, mixing well; add part of the milk, then the remainder of the flour and remainder of milk, mixing between each addition.

Take out one-half of batter and add the chocolate which has been melted; mix well and add one tablespoon cold water, or if cocoa is used mix with the water and add.

Grease and slightly flour one large loaf pan. Put the batter into pan by spoonfuls, alternating the light and dark. If a "streaky effect" is desired, mix slightly. Bake in moderate oven (350°) for about one hour. Cover top and sides with the following icing:

1 teaspoon butter
4 tablespoons hot milk
3 cups confectioner's sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Add butter to milk; cool and add sugar slowly to make right consistency to spread; add vanilla and spread on top and sides of cake.

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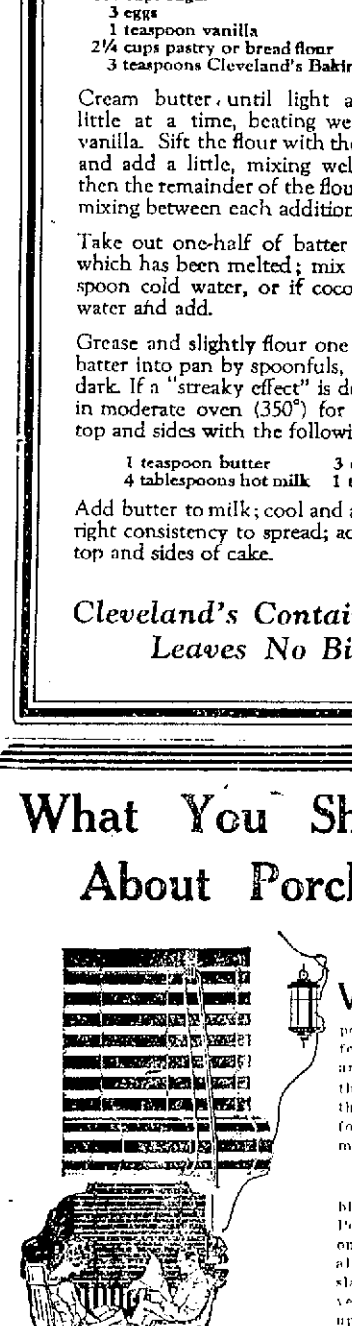

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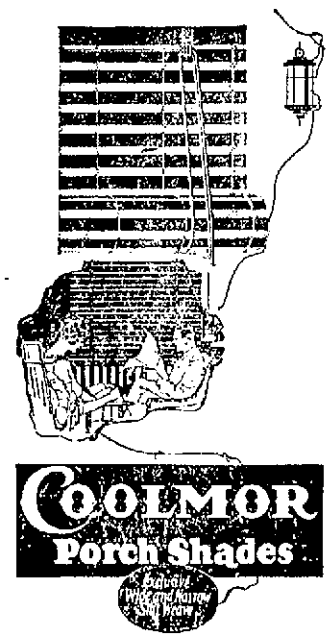
What You Should Know About Porch Shades



WHEN buying shades for your porch, there are four important features you should look for. First, see that they give ample ventilation; second, that they roll up easily; third, that they will not flap in the wind; fourth, that they do not cost too much.

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MAYOR'S NOMINATION OF O'CONNELL CONFIRMED BY COUNCIL

Gormley Displaced as Superintendent of Charities—Lively Hearing on Bus Company's Petition to Operate Between Lowell and Lawrence

Several public hearings, that on the proposed Lawrence-Lowell motor bus line the chief among them, attracted well over 100 citizens to the five-hour session of the city council which began at 8.20 o'clock last night. When the session ended, at 1.05 o'clock this morning, the petitions were all under advisement, and John J. O'Connell had been confirmed as successor to Joseph H. Gormley as superintendent of charities.

It was long after midnight before the hearing on the petition of the New England Motor Bus corporation had concluded and Councilor Sadlier moved that the nomination of Mr. O'Connell be taken from the table. Councilor Chadwick had left the meeting and six councilors balked on acting on the nomination. Eight favoring action, the president called for a vote on the confirmation of Mayor Donovan's nominee. The vote follows:

To confirm the nomination: Messrs. Cosgrove, Daly, Dickson, Lambert, McFadden, McPadden, Moriarty, Sadlier, Stearns. Total 9.

Against confirmation: Messrs. Chretien, Fitzgerald, Gallagher, Genest, Hennessey. Total 5.

At 12.40 o'clock this morning Council President Gallagher declared the nomination of Mr. O'Connell confirmed.

Fourteen jurors for the June sessions of the superior court were drawn before adjournment, which was until next Tuesday night. Among the jurors drawn was Owen Monahan, city messenger.

The nomination of Joseph M. Dinneen, to succeed Fred H. Rourke as city treasurer was not mentioned. This has been tabled for several weeks. No appointments were sent down by the mayor to the board of health or license commission, but are expected at the next meeting.

The charities committee failed to report on the proposed amendment to the new charities ordinance which would, if allowed, call for the continuance of the present system of distribution of fuel to the poor from the city wood yard instead of by contract as is now projected.

The gas probe committee met with Rep. Thomas J. Corbett during the evening relative to the hearing on gas rates which is to be held next Wednesday by the state public utilities commission in Boston.

The council chamber was crowded with a large number of trolleymen, trades and labor enthusiasts, proponents of the bus line, persons interested in the likelihood of action on the mayor's nominations and the expected report of the isolation hospital investigation committee which failed to materialize.

The bus line hearing was featured by a sharp personal exchange between J. Joseph Hennessy, counsel for the petitioners, and Fred A. Cummings, attorney for the trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company, remonstrants. The name of Fred Crowley was besmirched and garnished with verbal brickbats and bouquets by the respective counselors in turn, to the edification and delight of the audience. Council President James J. Gallagher declared the hearing open at 8.40 o'clock, on the petition of the New England Motor Bus Co., for the right to operate line from here to Lawrence.

D. Dana Bartlett, for the petitioner, of which corporation he is president, said:

"The New England Motor Bus Company, the petitioner now before you, is a Massachusetts corporation and subject in all respects to the laws of the commonwealth.

"Its authorized capital is $5,000, which, together with the additional amount necessary for the proposed undertaking, has been fully subscribed.

"Its corporate franchise is broad but its present activities will be entirely devoted to the development of the transportation of passengers, by motor coach between cities in the commonwealth having a community of interests and also between cities in New England having similar characteristics.

Native Of Lowell

"As I was born in Lowell, educated in its schools and up to the year 1911 had, with the exception of a few years, been a continuous resident, a personal reference may be unnecessary; nevertheless I feel that a brief summary of my business experience and connections may not be inappropriate.

"Upon graduation from the Lowell High school, after a brief period of employment by the Locks and Canals company, I entered the employ of the Boston & Maine railroad, and continued in the railroad business, acquiring experience and training in the passenger, freight and operating departments until 1892, when I took the position of traveling auditor of the General Electric company, later having charge of factory production costs, and remained with said company until 1895, when I was offered and took the position of general auditor of the Lowell and Suburban Street Railway company, holding this position until 1899, when I was appointed general auditor of the Massachusetts Electric companies; the company then in control of the street railways now known as the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company.

"In 1911, for reasons not difficult to understand by those acquainted with street railway conditions at that time, I accepted the presidency and general managership of Pilling & Madeley, Inc., of Philadelphia, manufacturers of hosiery and employing between 600 and 700 operatives and remained with this company until 1914.

Is Former Trolley Co. Man

"Since 1914 I have been engaged in professional work as consulting accountant and engineer, specializing in organization and management and financial and industrial problems; have been associated with engineers of the F. W. Taylor School of Scientific Management, and in 1916 served as secretary of the Council of National Defence, composed of the secretaries of war, navy, agriculture, interior, commerce and labor, for the purpose of organization, and I derived from this service some personal satisfaction from the fact that the plan of organization and conduct provided was found to be workable and efficient and was followed to the conclusion of the war.

"In 1915 I was elected associate of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, and have since retained membership in this society.

"The foregoing is intended to serve as my qualification for the conduct and management of the proposed enterprise.

"Early in my study and survey of the present transportation facilities in Massachusetts and New England, I became impressed with their inadequacy when compared with other sections of the country. Very little, if any, progress had been made in developing the use of the motor coach for interurban traffic.

"This means of through interurban transportation has practically superseded the trolley car in the territory west of Buffalo, N. Y., where in excess of 40,000 motor coaches are now operated, and it will undoubtedly, supercede it in New England in the near future. That it is also adapted to local city service, in some instances, is evidenced by its use in New York, Chicago, Detroit, Philadelphia, Washington and many other large cities.

Has Studied Field Here

"The existing conditions in Lowell and Lawrence, under study, were illuminating. Perhaps the importance of these two cities has not been fully realized. Examination of the census for 1920 brought out the fact that there are only 185 cities in the United States having a population of over 40,000. Both Lowell and Lawrence are included in this number; Lowell occupies the sixty-first position and Lawrence the seventy-third, or as to population they rank as the sixty first and seventy-third cities of the United States. By the same census Lowell had a population of 112,759, and Lawrence 94,270, a total population of 207,029.

"The principal industry of both cities is the manufacture of textiles, and they consequently have an unusual community of interest. Situated less than 12 miles apart, they constitute a large metropolitan area, which can without exaggeration be said to dominate the textile industry of the country if not the world. To bring out and emphasize this community, a recent count of the motor traffic was made at Merrimack park, a point midway between the two cities on the state highway on the north side of the river. The maximum of traffic was found to be between the hours of 4 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, when a total of 268 automobiles and motor trucks passed said point 150 going toward Lawrence and 118 toward Lowell; approximately four to five per minute. The minimum of traffic was between 12 noon and 1 p. m., the total being 96, to Lawrence 36, to Lowell 60, or one to two per minute. This certainly has its significance, especially as the count was not taken during the busy season of year and in view of the existing business depression.

"In 1914 there were 2,000,000 automobiles in use in the United States; in 1924, 13,000,000, but notwithstanding this extraordinary increase in the use of gasoline motor and its substitution for other means of propulsion, the ratio to the total population is less than 1 to 10; applying this ratio to the two cities under consideration, we find that 90 per cent of the population, or approximately 186,000 people, are not using nor are they provided with this up-to-date means of

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ARE THEY BANDITS?

Life in a small Ohio town proved too tame for Estelle Mikowsky, 19, Buffalo, N. Y., she heard was a pretty "fast town," so there she went. But Buffalo proved even faster than she dreamed. She and two male companions face a first degree murder charge following the death of a jewelry salesman shot in a holdup.

Annie Tabor, held as Los Angeles "flapper bandit," was arrested with her husband when the latter was shot and seriously wounded by an intended victim. Mrs. Tabor, waiting in a nearby automobile, tried to get her wounded husband away, according to police.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 21.—(By the Associated Press) Nine hundred and sixty commissioners charged with disposal of temporal and doctrinal problems of a great Protestant denomination were concentrating here today for the opening of the 136th general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America tomorrow.

One of the probable storm centers of the assembly—Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick of New York—will not attend the gathering, but his supporters and critics, the latter including William Jennings Bryan, are expected to renew the controversy that rocked last year's general assembly at Indianapolis.

The Fosdick dispute grew from a sermon, "Shall the fundamentalists win?" delivered by Dr. Fosdick, who is an ordained Baptist minister, holding pastorate of the First Presbyterian church, New York.

Election of a moderator to succeed Dr. Charles F. Wishart, president of Wooster college, is the outstanding business of the opening day.

BODY OF HARVARD FRESHMAN FOUND

CAMBRIDGE, May 21.—The body of Robert R. Proctor, the Harvard freshman for whom fruitless search had been made since he disappeared from a racing wherry on the Charles river, came to the surface today. He was drowned nine days ago.

IDAHO DEMOCRATS ENDORSE McADOO

ST. MARIES Idaho, May 21.—The Idaho democratic state convention early today adopted a resolution endorsing the candidacy of W. G. McAdoo for the democratic presidential nomination without instructing that the state's eight votes in the national convention be cast for him.

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PROTEST IMPRISONMENT OF DE VALERA

DUBLIN, May 21.—The continued imprisonment of De Valera, Austin Stack and other republican leaders is bitterly condemned by the republicans and among the loudest in protest are men who have themselves been released from prison while still declaring their allegiance to De Valera and the republic.

It was supposed that pledges had been given for the release of De Valera and others by Easter, but no such pledge has been admitted or proved. Now there is a rumor that the prisoners who are untried are to be released before the tail-team games early in August.

TROUBLE BREAKS OUT IN ALBANIA

BELGRADE, May 21.—Trouble has broken out in Northern Albania, according to the Politika. Insurgents are reported to have captured Scutari and several other towns.

A Belgrade despatch on May 10, reported armed strife in consequence of a conflict between the Albanian government in Tirana and a number of deputies who demanded that the capital be transferred to another town. Another complication in the Albanian situation is the agitation growing out of the murder by bandits of the two Americans, Robert L. Coleman of San Francisco and George B. De Long of New York. A Rome despatch bearing on this situation last week, said that a military dictatorship was believed to be inevitable.

PREMIER KIYOURA TO RESIGN

TOKIO, May 21.—(By the Associated Press) Premier Kiyoura, whose government was severely defeated in the recent elections, told a cabinet meeting yesterday that he had definitely determined to resign shortly, according to the newspaper Nichi Nichi, and Jiji Shimpo.

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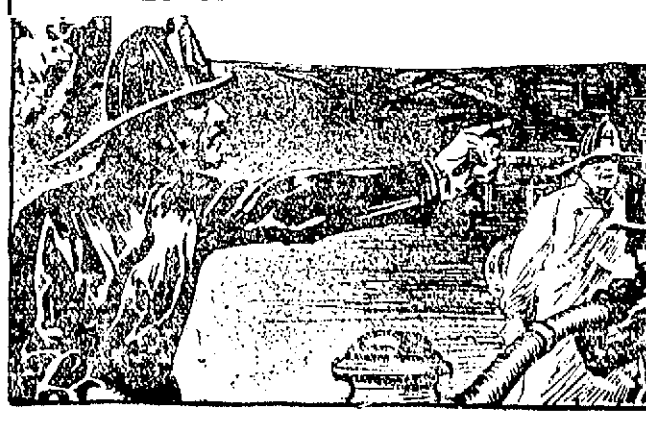

Meeting of the City Council

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transportation and intercommunication.

"Impressed by these conditions, confident that public necessity and convenience demand a remedy and believing that Lowell, my native city, in whose welfare and progress I have been and always shall be interested, would be distinctly benefited by the service which we propose to furnish, it naturally followed that our first application for a license should be made to the governing body of that city.

Tells of Present Service

"You are all no doubt familiar with the present transportation facilities between the cities. There is no through or express service and it cannot be furnished without interfering with the local traffic. Half-hourly trips are made which take 45 minutes between termini, during which, from actual count, 30 to 45 stops, local and otherwise, are made.

"We propose to provide an hourly, rapid transit, express, non-stop service, with no standing passengers, a comfortable seat for every passenger, in motor coaches of the latest type especially designed for passenger service and will make the trip in two-thirds of the time now required, namely in 30 minutes, and at the same cash fare of 40 cents.

"The type of coach we propose to use was on exhibition in the city last week, and several members of the council made a trip in it over the proposed route.

Offer to Provide Bond

"The laws provide that a satisfactory bond or other security shall be furnished for the adequate protection of passengers and property in the case of accident. We shall be ready to furnish such security, and as evidence I submit two letters on this subject which, with your permission, I will read later. From these you will note that each coach operated will be covered against personal injury and property damage in the sum of $10,000 for any single person, $25,000 for any single accident and $1000 for property damage.

"In conclusion I wish to state that this matter is of much greater importance than may at first appear. The main question before you is, shall your city and its citizens be provided with the latest method of transportation? If so, the granting of our petition will provide such facilities and I confidently believe that you, after due consideration of the facts presented, will be convinced that no sound arguments or valid reasons can be advanced in opposition that can or will outweigh the distinct benefits that will accrue to your city and its inhabitants through the granting of this license."

Petitioner Questioned

Councilor Daly asked as to the nature of equipment to be used. Mr. Bartlett replied specially built Pierce-Arrows will be used, capable of seating 23 to 25 persons. In answer to another question by Mr. Daly, J. Joseph Hennessy, counsel for the petitioner, said the service will be express. Passengers will pay the full 40-cent fare regardless of where they desire to alight. In answer to another question by Mr. Daly, the petitioner said he expects to carry an average of 7500 passengers per month.

"I am told that if this petition is granted, a number of street railway men will lose their jobs," said Mr. Daly. "What have you to say to that?"

"I considered the possible effect it might have," said Mr. Bartlett. "The business on the Lowell-Lawrence trolley line is about 80 per cent. local. I don't see that they could cut down the number of cars and serve the people as they do now." Mr. Bartlett said he could not see that the trolley company would be affected by a revenue loss of any more than $10 a day insofar as current revenue is concerned.

Bartlett in Control

Mr. Bartlett said he and three associates own the corporation. "I practically hold control."

Mr. Bartlett did not care to say who his associates were.

Counselor Hennessy said there has been no money paid in, adding it would be futile to sell stock before having a franchise. "That is our ultimate business," he added. "Our financial stability we will guarantee."

Mr. Bartlett read the letters regarding insurance which he referred to earlier. Mr. Hennessy, in answer to Mr. Daly, said the concern is at present without liabilities or assets.

Mr. Daly asked regarding the opportunity for local employment. Mr. Bartlett said the company intends to start with five operators of long experience. Later Lowell citizens would be given preference, he said.

Other Councilors Query

Councilor Lambert asked if licenses from Andover and Lawrence had been granted. Mr. Bartlett said one is not required in the first named municipality. There will be a hearing in Lawrence next Monday night on the petition filed there.

Councilors McPadden asked the contemplated hours of service. Mr. Bartlett says tentative plans are for from 7 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock at night. Councilor Sadler asked why a discontinuance so early in the evening. Mr. Bartlett said the schedule is tentative and could be changed to suit public desires.

"Inevitable," Says Hennessy

J. Joseph Hennessy said that the replacement of trolley cars by motor busses is as inevitable as was the replacement of horse cars by trolley cars.

He denounced the "specious methods" of the trustees appointed by His Excellency, the governor, to head off the motor bus petition. He scored what he termed the propaganda of these trustees, citing the personal interviews trolleymen had been requesting with councilors. He deplored the attitude of workers over whose eyes, he charged, the trustees are pulling wool. He cited the meeting of trolleymen which city government members were asked to attend and said the heads of the Eastern Massachusetts are forgetful of the lack of regard to their employes when they put one-man cars into operation.

"These trustees are fighting not for the men, but for their jobs as trustees and they are fighting us through the men," said Mr. Hennessy.

"I dare the trustees to give us a trial for three months and then come here and compare receipts. We are dissimilar in every respect," said Mr. Hennessy. "We go through different territory. We want and we expect a conscientious, deliberate, dispassionate consideration of our project."

"The service which we will give will be superior to anything you have ever heard of," said Mr. Hennessy. He cited the Eastern Massachusetts as a poor debtor, defiant in declining to pay excise taxes due the city for five years and also cited the balky attitude of the company insofar as is concerned construction work, in streets.

Possibility of Petition

"We haven't approached a man—we haven't approached a councilor, but in two weeks' time I can bring a petition signed by thousands. Our cards are on the table all the time."

The Remonstrants

A five-minute recess preceded the opening of the hearing for the remonstrants.

Thomas Powers, president of the carmen's union, opened. He predicted one-

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LOVED HER CAREER TOO MUCH!

Jeanne Gordon, Metropolitan Opera contralto, cared more for her art than she did for her husband and child, Ralph K. Trix, wealthy Detroit real estate man, charged in his divorce petition. The court granted him a decree and custody of their 11-year-old daughter, Jane. Gordon says he sympathizes with his wife's ambitions.

IN FLOODS

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Infants' Dresses, short or long style, sizes 0, 1, 2 years. Thursday Special **45c**

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Boys' All Wool Suits, tweeds and cassimeres, with alpaca linings. Sizes 7 to 16. Thursday Special **$3.49**

Boys' Sweaters, coat style, with pockets, in blue and brown. Thursday Special..... **$1.55**

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Basement

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Street Floor

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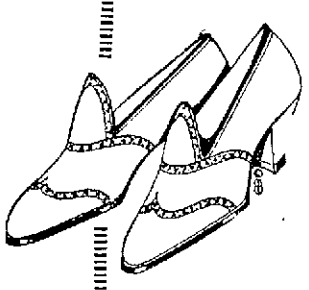

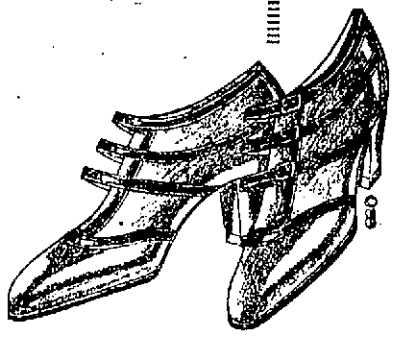

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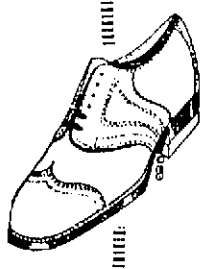

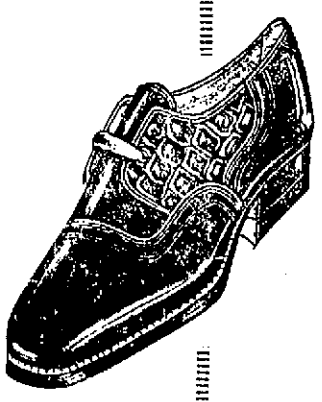

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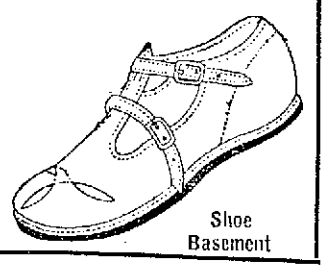

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TOILET GOODS

Street Floor

"Titterton" English Tooth Brushes, guaranteed three months; 75c value. Thursday A. M. Special, 39c or 2 for 75c

Henna Foam Shampoo. 50c value. Thursday A. M. Special 39c

Boncilla Beauty Package—Clay, Powder, Cold Cream and Vanishing Cream; 50c value. Thursday A. M. Special...37c

Ivory Jewel Cases, $3 value. Thursday A. M. Special..$1.29

Coty's La Rose Jacqueminot Talcum Powder, $1.00 value. Thursday A. M. Special...79c

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Mah Jong Sets, $10.00 value. Thursday A. M. Special..$6.50

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Street Floor Annex

Boys' Union Suits, knee length, short or long sleeves, ecru and white, sizes 2 to 16. Thursday A. M. Special.....50c

Boys' Odd Coats, assorted colors, sizes 8 to 17. Thursday A. M. Special $3.95

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Boys' Sweaters, fine knit, coat and slip-on styles. Thursday A. M. Special $1.29

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Peter Pan and Bramleigh Collar and Cuff Sets, in white and colors; regular 50c and 75c values. Thursday A. M. Special ..... 25c set

GROCERIES

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Pure Linen Buffet Sets, in white and oyster, neat patterns; regularly 69c and 89c. Thursday A. M. Special, 39c set

KNIT UNDERWEAR

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Ladies' Silk and Fibre Vests, in flesh and orchid; regular price $1.00. Thursday A. M. Special 79c

Chalifoux's Corner

INDICT MUMA AND RICKARD

Four Others Also Named for Conspiracy to Transport Fight Films

Muma Has Figured Prominently in Senate Investigations at Washington

NEWARK, N. J., May 21—Jasper Muma of New York, who has figured prominently in recent senate investigations at Washington, was among those indicted here yesterday by a federal grand jury with "Tex" Rickard, for conspiracy to transport fight films in interstate commerce, it was learned today from official sources.

Indictments were returned against four others whose names have not been learned and one corporation. Federal Judge Runyon received the indictments late yesterday after a grand jury investigation which started after testimony was given in Washington that the film of the Dempsey-Carpentier fight had been shown there in the home of Edward B. McLean, publisher. McLean was subpoenaed to appear here during the grand jury's investigation but it was later said he would not be called unless necessary.

The investigation has been in progress for nearly two months and witnesses were summoned from as far west as Oklahoma City.

Steps were being taken todays by federal authorities for the issuance of warrants but it was intimated that this procedure might be delayed several days pending the location of several of those against whom the indictments were returned.

The Dempsey-Carpentier fight, promoted by Rickard, was held at Boyle's Thirty Acres, Jersey City. The government charges that in violation of the law, the pictures were transported from this state to other sections of the United States.

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EARLY NEWS FLASHES BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

President Coolidge tells republican members of senate foreign relations committee his position on world court, is unchanged, and committee members indicate desire to formulate plan of action in harmony with president's stand.

Right of women to voice in government of Presbyterian church in the United States and to serve on executive committee, is sustained by 84th general assembly at San Antonio, Tex.

Platform of American industry, presented to National Association of Manufacturers' convention at New York by committee of industrialists, calls for creation of world court, free from entanglements of League of Nations.

Council of Lawn Tennis association, British tennis governing body, adopts resolution forbidding players in international matches from writing reports of contests for press.

President Coolidge takes new chlorine gas treatment, discovered by chemical warfare service, to cure his cold.

Ten American women are presented at brilliant court at Buckingham palace, opening event of London's social season.

Prime Minister MacDonald plans to confer with successor to Premier Poincare during Whitsuntide recess, regarding adoption of Dawes plan.

TODAY'S CASES IN THE DISTRICT COURT

In district court this morning, Anthony Pypec of Bunker Hill avenue, was found guilty of assault and battery on his wife and was given a suspended sentence of four months in the house of correction. The assault, according to evidence in court, took place in a variety store in Lakeview avenue yesterday, when Pypec interfered with his wife as she was purchasing household articles. He called her names and struck her several times.

Isaie Fontaine, charged with non-support, was found guilty and given a suspended sentence of three months in the house of correction on condition that he contribute $7 a week to his family budget.

Sarah Chodes, illegal keeping, was continued until May 24, and Josie Sarachik, for a similar offense, was continued one month.

A charge of violating the milk law, preferred against Thomas McMaster, was placed on file with a finding of guilty.

FLAMES AND SMOKE ARE BELCHING FROM CRATER

WALSENBURG, Colo., May 21.—Flames and smoke are belching from the crater of a volcano supposedly extinct for centuries near the Colorado line in New Mexico, according to automobile travelers reaching here from the south.

The eruption is said to be from a cone near the Raton pass. The travelers did not go near enough to ascertain whether lava or ash was being thrown from the old crater, but declared smoke was issuing from a fissure in the ground near Folsom, N. M.

GOLD-STAR MOTHERS TO DEDICATE SCHOOL

PARIS, May 21.—The gold star mothers of New York state will dedicate on May 30 the school which they have built at Rouy, near St Quentin, on the old western front. Two hundred French war orphans will be taken on a special train to attend the dedication and a memorial service in the cemetery where are buried the men of the 27th division, who fell in this area fighting beside a British army corps. General Charles H. Sherill will make the dedicatory address.

REPARATION COMMISSION

PARIS, May 21.—The reparation commission held a meeting today at which Austro-Hungarian questions were discussed. Among these was the subject of American credits for the restoration of Hungary.

Medals Presentd At The High School

Continued

ond, and Miss Blanche McShane, as the third most accurate Gregg shorthand writer.

The assembly this morning came as a surprise to students and teachers of the school, as it was arranged for after 5 o'clock last evening, and the presentation of medals was the first inkling the prize winners had of their success. Taken by surprise when called to the stage by Headmaster Harris to receive their prizes, all three managed to express their appreciation of the honors conferred upon them.

Miss Beatrice Gravel, who won first prize, is 16 years of age, a junior, and graduated from Notre Dame de Lourdes' school. The second prize winner, Mary Hogan, is a senior at the school, 17 years of age, and a graduate of the Collinsville grammar school. Miss Blanche McShane is 17 years of age, a junior, and a graduate of the Abraham Lincoln school.

The contest was held yesterday afternoon in the shorthand department of the school under the direction of Orton E. Beach, head of the shorthand department, assisted by Miss Ida L. Samuels as checker and the Misses Annabelle Lowney, Mary Egan and Joan Shanley, all teachers in the shorthand department, as judges.

Five students from each of the shorthand classes were chosen for the contest at a preliminary try-out a week ago yesterday. Thirty-five entered the finals yesterday afternoon and after nearly two hours' grilling on word signs, phrases and sentence structure, all but eight had been eliminated by the judges.

A 150-word dictation test was resorted to to pick the winners from the eight remaining contestants. As a result of this test, Miss Gravel was chosen for first place, her copy being without an error; and Miss Mary Hogan was chosen as second. Third, however, was a tie between Miss McShane and Miss Louise Boyle. To break the tie, another 150-word dictation test was given and Miss McShane was named as third.

The contest created considerable interest among students of the shorthand department, over one hundred of whom waited in the lobby of the school until its conclusion. It was because of the great interest shown by these students that a decision was reached to announce the winners and present the medals at a general assembly of the school.

MEN ACCUSED OF COPYING WOMEN'S FANCIES

PARIS, May 21.—Men are accused by a woman fashion writer of "servilly following women's fancies" in the matter of attire. In support of this statement, she declares that as soon as women began wearing plaids, men's ties, traditionally sober in hue, assumed "jazz" shades that men would never have dared to display if women had not given them the lead.

Some men last winter copied the women's fad of bright colored scarfs by wearing batik neckwraps of bold design.

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Thursday A. M. Specials

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers **39¢**

Men's Jersey Rib Union Suits, short sleeves, ankle ..... **89¢**

Men's Fast Color Percale Shirts, sizes 16 to 17 ..... **59¢** 2 for $1.00

Men's Fibre Silk Hose, irregulars ..... **35¢** 3 pairs for $1.00

Men's P K Soft Collars ..... **7¢**

Boys' Tweed 2-Pants Suits ..... **$6.98** Sizes 7 to 16

Boys' Khaki Pants, sizes 7 to 17, pair...**69¢**

Boys' All Wool Pants, lined through, **$1.89**

Boys' Nainsook Athletic Union Suits... **48¢**

Men's Sample Madras and Percale Shirts, **$1.25**

Men's Elastic Web Suspenders, pair **19¢**

Men's Fancy Tweed Caps ..... **55¢**

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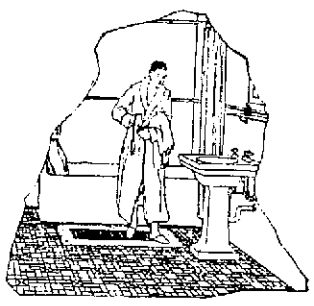

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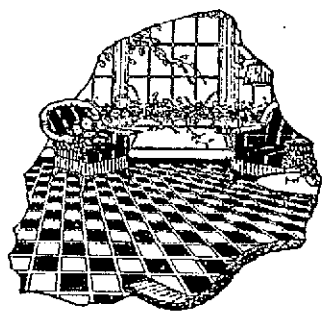

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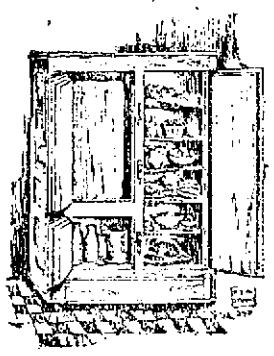

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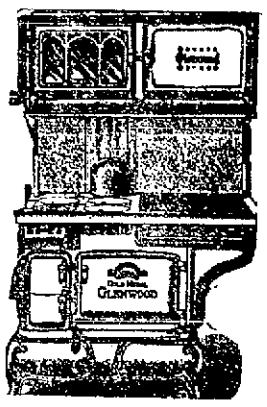

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COTTON SALES WEEK

Fall River has started a movement for a Cotton Sales Week with the purpose in mind of stimulating trade in cotton cloth as a means of relieving the depression in the textile industry. It is to be called "Cotton Cloth Barter Week" and while we do not see where the barter comes in, it undoubtedly conveys the idea that the sales will be followed by work in the mills as the primal object of the movement.

The plan provides for a big mass meeting at which some speaker of national prominence would deliver an address urging co operation with the movement as a means of starting up the textile machinery. If the people buy the cottons, they will thereby lighten the supply held in storage by the various mills and thus make way for more active business. Evidently, Fall River is suffering as much from the depression as is Lowell, and if a Cotton Sales Week will prove beneficial in that city, then there can be no reason why it would not be equally so in Lowell. This is a matter which the Chamber of Commerce might well take up in the interest of the unemployed and of business generally.

MURDERS TODAY

Twenty-eight Americans will be murdered today if these 24 hours run true to average. That many are murdered every day more than 10,000 a year. And these, mind you, are only the known murders. There must be thousands that are never discovered, particularly in out-of-the-way regions. And an unknown number of people who are recorded by the police as having "disappeared" lie under the sod, victims of assassins.

Twenty-eight today! The news will tell you of only a few. Murder has become so common in the United States that it is of no more than local interest unless the crime has unusual angles or involves celebrities.

Statistics from other countries indicate that we lead in the percentage of murders due to robbery and other crimes. In order to prevent a child starting fires, you keep him away from matches. In this simple principle is the obvious way to lower the murder rate.

Poison used to be a favorite method of murder. It is comparatively rare now because government has made it hard for the criminally inclined to obtain poisons, especially ones that leave little or no apparent traces.

The day is coming when the sale of firearms will be similarly restricted. With criminals virtually unable to buy pistols, and with a stiff penalty such as life imprisonment for illicit possession of a pistol, the murder rate would drop.

For the revolver is used in the majority of murders. Local restrictions against its sale are of little avail as long as crooks can buy revolvers from mail order houses.

Congress has the power to prohibit interstate traffic in pistols. That power should be exercised. A pistol should be sold to none except officers of the law. Householders could protect themselves with rifles or sawed-off shotguns which cannot be carried concealed throught streets by the criminally inclined.

AUTO MILEAGE

Chairman Loring of the State Commission of Administration, the man supposed to be the watch-dog of the treasury, opines that 10 cents a mile is too much to pay for the use of an automobile in the service of the state. He favors 6½ cents and believes that is above the actual cost. We do not know what kind of automobile he would use for the purpose; but suppose a man uses his own auto regularly in the service of the state, would ten cents a mile pay him for the wear and tear on the machine, the cost of tires, repairs, oil and gasoline? We do not think so. He might get by on that allowance for the first year or two years in the life of his car; but after that the cost of upkeep would be greatly increased. On fine roads used in favorable weather conditions, Mr. Loring's estimate might be all right for an inexpensive car; but under other conditions, it would be too low.

Suppose a Ford car is purchased at $300 and that it is used on the mileage basis favored by Mr. Loring. It would have to run 6,000 miles to pay for itself and by that time, and perhaps long before, even if run with the best of care, it would require considerable repairs. Apparently, Mr. Loring does not consider the original cost of the car, and yet he says the official who uses his private car for a distance of 10,000 miles in the service of the state is entitled to a state owned car, presumably a Ford. Evidently auto owners will not be able to beat the state very much on Mr. Loring's allowance.

TELEGRAPHING PICTURES

A new marvel in the progress of telegraphic communication has been announced by the American Telephone and Telegraph company in the successful transmission of pictures by telegraph. The city of Cleveland was selected for experimental purposes so that pictures of the republican convention might be transmitted to New York and other cities in a few minutes.

Wireless telegraphy for a time was considered the last word in the progress of this art; but if the transmission of pictures is successful, it will mark another great step forward in the inventions and discoveries that have enabled persons to converse practically between any two points on the earth's surface. The invention has been the result of long and careful labor and experimentation. It is a great scientific triumph and is probably but the initial step of developments even much greater along the same lines.

AGRICULTURAL DEPRESSIONS

Broadly speaking, the present situation in agriculture sought to be remedied, arises from the fact that agriculture was highly stimulated during the World war by the extraordinary demands for its products by Europe. Since the war, European agriculture has come back practically to pre-war production, excepting in Russia, but with Russia again in the world markets as an exporter.

The demands of the war upon our labor supply caused a curtailment in some branches of industry, particularly in construction work, with the result that there is now considerable activity in these lines in many parts of the country where business in general is progressing and industries outside the category of the textiles are moving along prosperously in about normal fashion.

The real situation in many farming districts today is that less farm production is now required and more labor is needed in other industries. Furthermore, extensions in farming activities are handicapped from the very first by the desire of laborers to obtain more wages in other industries, and the shift of workers from soil to factories, reported of alarming proportions recently, is undoubtedly still going on, as rural industrial experts emphatically testify.

But there is not the slightest reason to fear that all the farming lands of the country are going to be deserted or that agriculture is going into decay. Reflection will satisfy the most critical that long before the movement from the farms reaches any such alarming proportions, the prices of farm products will rise to a point that will soon reverse the situation.

NATIONAL RIFLE DAY

On the theory that a nation's greatest defense is the ability of its citizens to shoot straight, the whole country should be interested in National Rifle day, June 7. At least 100,000 Americans will participate in rifle tournaments.

The number should be 100 times as big.

You have only to consider Switzerland to appreciate the importance of widespread expertness with the rifle. Rifle shooting is the national sport of the Swiss. It is taught in the schools. There is a military saying that every Swiss man is a sharpshooter.

That is why Switzerland was not invaded during the war.

It is important to shoot straight and to think straight. With both accomplishments, no people is likely to have any reason to go to war.

TAX REDUCTION BILL

From various sources come the announcements that the passage of the bonus bill over the president's veto will cause the president to veto the tax reduction measure also, on the ground that taxes cannot be reduced as proposed, if the government has to finance the bonus law. Congress does not hold that view and if the measure be vetoed it will probably be carried over the veto even more emphatically than was the bonus measure. Then the government would be obliged to find the money somehow. Apparently, congress is not taking orders from the president on these important issues.

WORLD TOUR AVIATORS

The world tour of the American aviators has already achieved success in having made the first trip across the Pacific ocean and landed at the Kurile Islands and Japan. Unless unforeseen accidents interfere, their success in the remainder of the tour will be comparatively easy. It is expected that their plans for circling the earth in the air, will be accomplished without any disaster, at least let us hope so for the reason that the projected tour marks a new era in history, a step forward by which nations will be brought more closely together, communication made more rapid and mail service improved all over the world.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

The people of this city will be glad to find any evidence that Chief Saunders can offer to prove that the criticism of the fire department has been too severe and consequently unfair to the department and to the city. Our firefighters are as good as in any city similar to Lowell, but the equipment for some time past has been defective and is emphatically so at the present time. When one of the necessary motor vehicles that respond to fire alarms is unable to ascend even a moderate hill, then it is of little use for fire department purposes.

The lively hearing on the petition for a permit to run a bus line, recalls that for establishing a rival telephone company many years ago. Public necessity is the only guide in such cases.

Memorial day is the next holiday to be observed and one of the most sacred because its prime object is to commemorate the memory of our patriot dead. That should be done with all due reverence.

Late meetings of the city council will continue until a time limit be set upon the speeches of parties who appear before the body for or against certain petitions.

This afternoon the high school student-faculty debate is broadcast from Boston. The time will soon arrive when the broadcasting can be done from local stations.

SEEN AND HEARD

A driver with no life insurance is neglecting his family when he admires the scenery.

Perhaps the quickest way to make your wife want a divorce is by talking about people the way she does.

Perhaps the greatest sport in the world is crossing the street on a busy day. All you need to play is one street, two legs, no head, and a few thousand autos. Very dangerous, but very exciting.

The cheapest way to hug a woman is by dancing with her. All other known ways are liable to cost ice cream sodas, alimony, picture show prices or something. But on the dance floor it is different. All you do is get introduced and say "Much obliged for knowing you" or something, then start right out and hug her with everybody looking, and she doesn't think you owe her anything at all.

A Thought

No legacy is so rich as honesty.—Shakespeare.

Eyebrow Ballad

"What a man Shakespeare was," said the man on the train. "What has aroused your admiration now?" inquired his seat-mate. "You know he speaks of a woeful ballad to a lady's eyebrows," answered the other. "Well?" "Have you noticed the eyebrows lately?" "Yes." "Any ballad to one of them would naturally be woeful."

The Love Chart

"Courting a movie actress, eh?" "Yes, I am." "You don't seem any too happy. What is the state of her affections?" "I can draw you up a chart," responded the other. He was busy with pencil and paper for a few moments and then handed over his diagram, which read as follows: "She loves first—herself. Then in the order named:—money, publicity, her poodle, her parrot, her art, me."

The Last Blow

Recently a tramp, taken up in a New York police court for drunkenness, gave his birthplace as Boston. "Yours," said the magistrate, "is a sad case. Yet you don't seem to thoroughly realize how low you have sunk." The prisoner struck his brow with a pained gesture. "Heavens," he exclaimed, devoutly. "I have stood many indignities, but to be sentenced by a magistrate who splits his infinitives. This is the last blow."

Wouldn't Be Polite

"These here song writers," declared Uncle Pennywise, "don't seem to care a hoot about etiquette or the ordinary procedure of life. There used to be one of them, for instance, who was always extending the invitation 'Come where my love lies dreaming.' Gal in hammock, I suppose, flowery bower, and all that sort of thing. Still, I never went with him to where his love lay dreaming. I didn't think it would be polite."

The Mending Basket

In and out the needle goes,
Mending all the family clothes—
A button off the man's best shirt,
A rent in ma's silk underskirt,
The children's stockings out at knee—
Well, life for most of us must be
Just a mending jamboree.

Relationships are broken, torn,
Mended again and bravely worn.
And love is new but once, I ween,
A bright dress, donned with shining mien,
Which marriage makes us wear about
Though we grow old and very stout
And all the seams must be let out.

The friendship which to youth is dear
Flits poorly life's maturer year.
Paternal pride bears many a patch,
Children are gloves that do unmatch.
Life's perfect garments are but few
And, when we cannot have the new,
We mend the old and make it do.

Margaret W. Jackson in Farm Life.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

Chief Atkinson has requested the civil service commission to send him a list of patrolmen eligible to appointment as sergeants. There is a list of sergeants coming for promotion to lieutenant, but just when, nobody seems to know. The superintendent wrote to the civil service commission last week and is expecting to receive an answer soon. Meanwhile, the officers are on the anxious seat awaiting the chief's decision.

A runaway horse caused no little excitement in the vicinity of the square yesterday noon. Darting down Merrimack street at a periloss rate of speed, with a small boy mounted, the steed raced through heavy traffic without a mishap and was not brought to a stop until reaching High street. Luckily, the boy maintained his position aback the animal.

Charles Smith of Camden street, Kenwood, has quite a record to his credit for recovering bodies from the Merrimack river. Last Saturday's recovery made his eighth. Mr. Smith's house is located along the river bank opposite Camden street on the Lawrence boulevard. His "back yard" almost touches the river and as he spends much time out-of-doors, the opportunity of sighting objects in the river is ever present.

The selection of Comrade William A. Arnold of Ladd and Whitney Post, G.A.R., as chief marshal of the Memorial day parade meets with unanimous approval. For several years, Mr. Arnold has been connected with the state civil department as head superintendent and has made a host of friends in his office at city hall. He is one of Lowell's most prominent Civil war veterans.

Among the many feature in connection with the fourth degree banquet in the Auditorium last Sunday evening were the solo selections by Andrew McCarthy and James E. Donnelly of this city, John Z. Kelley of Lynn and Thomas A. Quinn of Cambridge. The first two are well known and need no encomiums here, but a word of the two latter may seem apropos. Mr. Kelley has a remarkably clear and decisive tenor voice much resembling that of John McCormack and in some registers equally rich and resonant. It is rather surprising to some Lowell people that they had not hitherto heard Mr. Kelley in concert numbers. He certainly astonished those who had not heard him before in his two solos everywhere with such splendid effect. Mr. Quinn has also a fine voice, but of a very different quality from that of Mr. Kelley. He is an artist in what might be termed dramatic vocalism and he suggests the operatic singer on the stage. Messrs. Donnelly and McCarthy are always favorites with Lowell audiences and always rewarded with a large share of well deserved applause.

The Lowell Memorial Auditorium has a seating capacity of 1000. Imagine the Auditorium filled to capacity 20 times and you will get some idea of the number of people who read The Sun daily, and 90 per cent of the 50,000 readers of The Sun take no other Lowell newspaper.

In China there is a strong movement among the new generation of girls against the custom of infant betrothals.

Tom Sims Says

When they sign a treaty in the Balkans it is usually just for the week-end.

Refusals to testify in recent Government investigations does not prove there is honor among thieves.

Mail robber escaped in Chicago. Since they catch so few of them they should watch them more closely.

William J. Burns, the world-famous detective, has resigned. Being a good detective, of course he is baffled.

These are the days the commencement dress is given more careful thought than the commencement address.

You can tell spring by the increase in medicine advertisements.

It is a wise man who looks things over instead of overlooking things.

The centre of flower culture for perfume is in the Maritime Alps, so that may be why the stuff is so high.

Worry is a great thing. Many people would be idle half the time if they had nothing to worry about.

Rouge is supposed to be going out of style, which is the only way its use can be stopped.

Fat men don't stand the heat better than lean men, but they seem to sit it out better.

About the worst job on earth is selling cheap cigars and having to smoke the samples.

WILL BROADCAST HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE

Station WNAC, the Shepard Stores, Boston, offers a program at 4 o'clock this afternoon, that should prove of exceptional interest to local radio fans and students and faculty of the high school. The program consists of a debate between members of the Greenhalge Debating society and the school faculty and will continue for one hour.

The subject of the debate is, "Resolved, That women have done more to advance civilization than men." The affirmative will be upheld by the following members of the faculty: Norton D. Sturtevant, head of the English department; Edward Cornell, Spanish department head; and Miss Gladys Mavis. The negative side will be taken by the following members of the debating society: Alphee Achin, Amos Flemings and Rosalie Greenbaum.

Miss Frances Masterson, coach of the debating society, will accompany the students. There will be no decision given.

Meeting of the City Council

Continued

man cars on the Lowell-Lawrence trolley if bus competition is permitted. C. J. O'Neill, as associate counsel to Mr. Hennessy for the petitioners, questioned Mr. Powers. Mr. Powers admitted under questioning that Trustee Crowley, Manager McCormick and Supt. Sayers had told the carmen, in meeting assembled, that they felt the carmen should protest.

"You invited the council last night to appear at your local?"

"Yes, just as you did at the Yorick club a week ago."

There was a roar of laughter at this sally as Mr. O'Neill took up the questioning. Mr. O'Neill asked if the councilors present were not asked to declare themselves. This Mr. Powers denied.

Parker F. Murphy of the Trades & Labor council spoke next. He arraigned Trustee Crowley as a man that "the Lowell labor men made—and he forsook them." He said Mr. Crowley had not appeared before his organization and would not be permitted in the hall. Mr. Murphy's organization is against the petition.

Manager McCormick

Maurice E. McCormick, district manager for the Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co., spoke next in opposition.

Mr. McCormick based his plea on the old adage that great oaks from little acorns grow. He said it is "competition pure and simple—they take the other side of the river." He stressed the law of capitalization of the bus concern citing $179,500 in wages was paid here in Lowell and $16,000 in taxes here last year. "Our investment represents $4,500,000 in Lowell alone," he said. A wave of applause marked the close of Mr. McCormick's brief summary. He was questioned at length by Counselor Hennessy and Councilor Daly. It was 18 minutes after midnight when Counselor O'Neill and Councilors Sadler, Cleaveve and Lambert concluded their questionings. Mr. McCormick said 20 per cent. of the traffic on the Lowell-Lawrence line is through traffic.

Attorney Cummings

Fred A. Cummings of Lynn, attorney for the railway, and assistant to the trustees was the next speaker. He referred to Fred J. Crowley as "the best friend the working men ever had." Mr. Cummings talked for twenty-five minutes in which he attacked the statements of the petitioners and traced the resuscitation of the street railway system by the five trustees which he collectively eulogized. One-man cars he called the product of an unavoidable economic situation, superimposed by wage raises.

At 12.15 a. m. the hearing closed and the council took the matter under consideration.

June Jurors Drawn

Seven jurors were drawn by Councilor McFadden as follows for the June session of the superior court:

John H. Campbell, 52 Kenza street, chauffeur.

William S. Johnson, 153 Blackpole street, baker.

George E. Burns, 28 Crowley street, clerk.

Joseph H. Jodoin, 23 Chase street, machinist.

Charles McCarthy, 18 Georgia avenue, proprietor.

John H. Corbett, 11 Burns street, produce dealer.

Patrick H. Brown, 960 Varnum avenue, brakeman.

Gas Probers Ask $300

Councilor Dickson moved for a $300 appropriation for the gas probe committee. President Gallagher said it was unnecessary and can be charge expenses. Mr. McFadden wanted to know where $300 is to be spent.

Councilor Fitzgerald said the committee conferred last night with Rep. Thomas J. Corbett relative to the hearing next Wednesday before the public utilities commission. Mr. Fitzgerald said that it is desired to have counsel to fight what he characterized as "the present humbug rates."

"I'd ask what the city solicitor is for," said Mr. McFadden.

"The mayor's office has approved these rates. We want unbiased counsel. We don't think the city solicitor is unbiased."

Letter From Mayor

President Gallagher read the following letter from Mayor Donovan:

"Gentlemen—A hearing will be held, Wednesday, May 28th, before the board of public utilities relative to the revised schedule of rates recently made effective by the Lowell Gas Light company.

"It is advisable, in my opinion, that the city be represented at this hearing and inasmuch as it is quite probable that your committee, appointed to consider this question will not have had sufficient time and opportunity to study and consider the matter from all angles before this hearing is held, I am directing the city solicitor to attend this hearing and represent the city.

"I have instructed him to ascertain and report all facts which may be brought out at the hearing for subsequent presentation to the city council and to request the board of public utilities to reserve for the city council the privilege of filing its approval or disapproval at a later date, should it so desire. I suggest, also, that the city council at this meeting tonight vote instructions and permission to the special committee to attend the hearing.

"It would seem that such an arrangement will effectively save the rights of the city council should it deem it advisable to enter a protest against the present schedule of rates now in operation for the gas-consumers of this city.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN J. DONOVAN,
Mayor.

Didn't Know of Easy Access

"Is it the intent of the committee to attend the hearing?" asked Mr. McFadden. Receiving an affirmative reply he said he believes the committee should work with the solicitor. He said the committee was named to probe, not fight, gas rates. Mr. Dickson followed to say he did not know the committee had such easy access to the city treasury or he would not have asked the money. Mr. Dickson withdrew his order, and the mayor's letter was filed.

More Jurors Drawn

Councilor Daly declined to draw seven jurors. Mr. Lambert drew:

Charles H. Burns, 84 Methuen street, barber.

John B. Curran, 32 Crosby street, clerk.

Eugene P. Sullivan, 84 Maple street, machinist.

Owen A. Monahan, 63 Orchard street, city messenger.

Adelard Payette, 20 James street, retired.

Joseph J. Allard, 116 Ennell street, storekeeper.

John C. Dunleavy, 415 Worthen street, laborer.

Other Hearings

William D. Regan, former city solicitor, appeared alone to sponsor the petition that Davenport Terraces, east and west, and Tyler park be designated as Tyler park and that house numbers be assigned in conformity by the city engineer. There were no objectors and the matter was taken under advisement.

Leave to withdraw was given on the petition of the Lowell Electric Light Co. for pole locations in Eleventh street, near Methuen street, a new petition conforming to the desire of residents there to be introduced later.

There being objections to the petitions of the phone company for pole locations in Cady and South Whipple streets, the petitions were referred to Councilors Moriarty and McFadden respectively for investigation and report.

WILL HOLD MAY PARTY AT LAKEVIEW PARK

The annual May party of the Knights of Columbus will this year be held at Lakeview park, and the proceeds will be added to the building fund. The affair will take place on the night of May 23.

If present plans mature, the Knights will entertain one of its biggest gatherings on this occasion. Edward F. Slattery, Jr., lecturer of Lowell council, has charge of arrangements, and he is being assisted by the following committeemen: Frank J. Finnegan, John Kenney, William McGlew, John E. Hart, P.G.K., Frank Connelly, George Brennan, William Dugan, Edward Tighe, and Arthur Rogers.

Fund Committee Meets

At a meeting of the Building Fund committee in the Appleton Bank building last evening, Dr. Richard J. McCluskey was elected chairman of the committee, and Edward A. Callahan, secretary. It is planned to conduct an intensive drive from June 1 to June 10. Meanwhile, cheques may be made payable to the K. of C. building fund, care of the Washington Savings institution.

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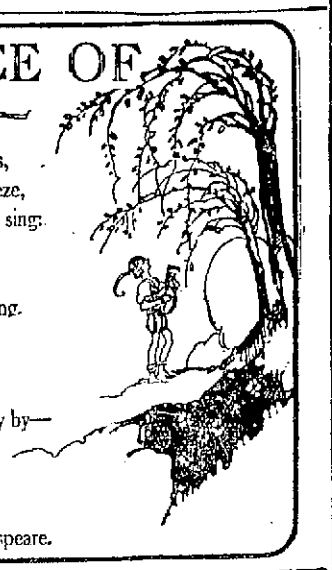

Orpheus with his lute made trees,
And the mountain-tops that freeze,
Bow themselves, when he did sing:
To his music, plants and flowers
Ever sprung, as sun and showers
There had made a lasting spring.

Everything that heard him play,
Even the billows of the sea,
Hung their heads, and then lay by—
In sweet music is such art:
Killing care, and grief of heart,
Fall asleep, or, hearing, die.

—William Shakespeare.

A MONUMENT to NATURE

Hal Cochran's DAILY POEM

An old oak tree in a front yard stands; it's a stately sight to see. Just one of nature's great expands that they labeled "old oak tree."

A century old is this growth of "gold" and it towers, as a leader should. The other trees call the oak tree bold, a respect for age in the wood.

When the sun of summer blazes trail, the old oak shows in green. The sturdy trunk leads to branches frail and to twigs that are long and lean.

When an acorn, many years ago, sprouted forth up through the ground, little, then, old folks who saw it know what a treasure they had found.

As an ancient landmark stands the tree that has seen the years roll by. Father Time but knows how long 'twill be till the oak will fade and die.

Just a monument to nature and a tip to you, as such. 'Twas in the open air the old oak grew, and the man who really gets his share of Mother Nature's touch has a better chance to live his full life through.

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TODAY AND THURSDAY SPECIALS

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BEVERLY POLICE CHIEF, J. E. HAYES, RESIGNS

BEVERLY, May 21—Citizens of this city were surprised last night to learn of the resignation of John E. Hayes as chief of the Beverly police department. The news of the resignation was made public at court in Newburyport, where a number of Beverly police officers and officers from other cities have been called before the grand jury in connection with an investigation of the Beverly police department.

The investigation is being carried on by District Attorney William G. Clark at the request of the Beverly board of aldermen. The grand jury is engaged in investigating rumors of police protection alleged to have been given to rum-runners passing through Beverly and to rum-runners who are said to be unloading their boats at certain Beverly wharves.

Certain slot machines are also under investigation. Some time ago, the police raided the bicycle repair shop of James McDonald of Broadway, where it is said that they seized three slot machines. These machines the court ordered destroyed.

Later, however, it was suspected that the court order had not been carried out, and the district attorney's office was asked to investigate. It is claimed that in the course of the investigation three slot machines were found in Salem, bearing the same numbers as those which the court had ordered destroyed. The investigation is still proceeding.

HARRY DUTTON, BOSTON MERCHANT, DEAD

BOSTON, May 21—Harry Dutton, president of the Houghton & Dutton company and one of the most widely known merchants in Boston, died suddenly at 5 yesterday afternoon, at his home, 195 Bay State road, Back Bay. He had been in poor health for some time, but the end, which was caused by heart disease, came most unexpectedly.

In addition to being one of the foremost merchants in this city, Mr. Dutton, who had been the active head of the Houghton & Dutton company for more than a score of years, was considered one of the most prominent merchants in this country. He had always been active in civic matters in Boston and was noted for his many practical philanthropies.

Born on July 4, 1853, at Hillsboro, N. H., the son of the late Benjamin P. and Harriett Hatch Dutton, he moved to Medford with his family when still young and received his early education in that place, after graduating from a military academy in Worcester. Mr. Dutton was married in 1877 to Miss Alice M. Houghton, daughter of the late Samuel S. and Mary C. Houghton. Mrs. Dutton died in 1913.

Three daughters survive, Mrs. Erving P. Morse of Boston, Mrs. A. P. Chase of Medford and Mrs. Arthur W. Morrison, also of Medford; also a half-brother, George Dutton of Brookline.

SAY COUPLE KILLED BY MOONSHINERS

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 21.—Convinced that Leah Ellenberger, Hollidaysburg teacher, and Harry Ganster, Marysville high school senior, found shot to death on Blue mountain, near here last Saturday, were killed by mountain moonshiners state police today spread through the hills in a search for signs of recent whiskey making activities.

The officers under the direction of Major Lynn G. Adams, head of the forces searched through wild stretches in a hunt for stills. One moonshine theory—a story of operations carried on in a cave in the hills—was abandoned after a lengthy search last night. Their search was based on the belief that young Ganster in his earlier wanderings through the woods had stumbled upon a still or that last Friday in company with the girl, he encountered moonshiners who ambushed him and his companion as they prepared to start home from their flower-picking expedition.

Major Adams, convinced that three shots were fired, sought signs of the two bullets which missed the two young people who were killed by a single shot.

13 WOUNDED BY EXPLOSION ON SHIP

PARIS, May 21.—An explosion aboard the armored school ship Patrie at Toulon, wounded 13, four most seriously, says a navy department communique. The accident occurred in a turret during practice in loading a 16 centimetre gun. An investigation has been opened.

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THURSDAY SPECIALS

Bloomers, in white, flesh and orchid; 50c values, 39c

Gowns, slip-on models, trimmed with dainty embroidery; $1.00 values 69c

Princess Slips, lace trimmed, some with hip hem; $1.00 values 79c

Corset Covers, French and fitted models, broken lots, at .....25c and 39c

Bungalow Aprons, in fine stripes and checks, with pockets and deep sash; $1.00 values 79c

Fine Lingerie Bloomers, in white, flesh, navy, black, brown and grey; $1.50 values $1.00

Fine Silk Jersey and Triconsham Bloomers, in all colors; $2.95 values, $2.50

A Sample Lot of Voile Waists, slightly soiled; values up to $1.50, at 89c

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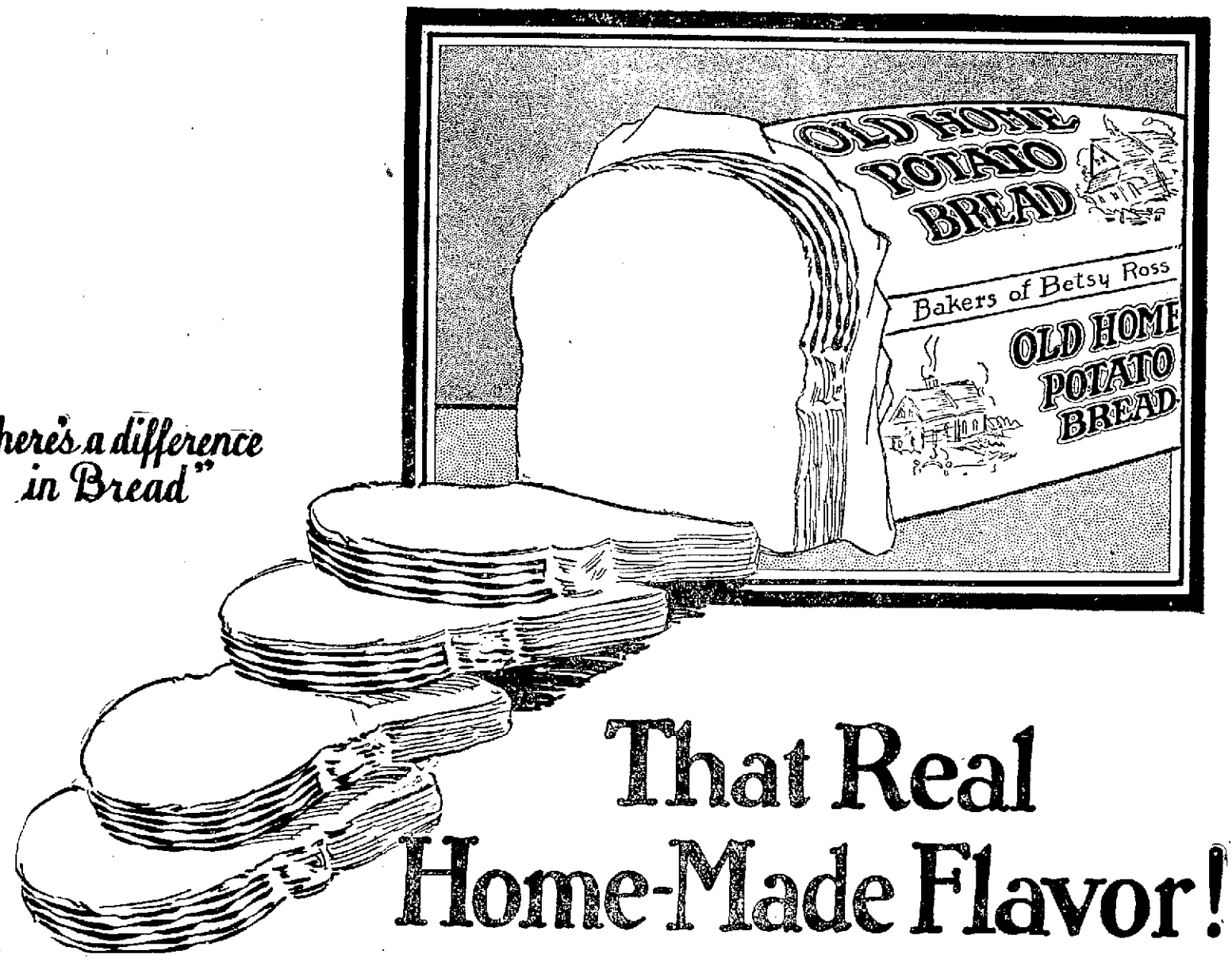

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Lowell Boy Wins in National Amateur Boxing Tournament—Butler Victory Protested

BUTLERS WIN OVER EAST ENDS IN CITY TWI LEAGUE GAME

Faulty Decision by Umpire McManus in Fourth Inning Gave Butlers Chance to Come From Behind and Win 8 to 7—East Ends Register Protest

An umpire's faulty decision in the fourth inning of the City Twilight league game between the Butler Independents and the Centralville East Ends last night gave the Butlers an 8 to 7 win over their rivals from Centralville. Arbiter "Banty" McManus was the offending party when he called Gendreau's clout to left field a fair ball and allowed him to round the paths behind two men who had previously occupied the sacks. The three runs which thus accrued gave the Butlers an opportunity to come from behind and no one better than their rivals. It is doubtful if any spectator on the common saw the ball the way the umpire did. It was obviously foul by at least 20 feet, and Manager Farrell of the East Ends was justified in continuing play under protest. The matter will be officially ironed out at a meeting of the league heads after tomorrow night's game. In all probability, the Butler win will be ruled out and the contest replayed at a later date.

Aside from this mishap, the game was fairly interesting. Both teams were making their debut to twilight baseball, and while the portentious weather interfered somewhat with the playing calibre of the men, they gave their best, and the fans enjoyed it.

The opposing pitchers were "Bo" McMillen for the Butlers, and Phil Payton for the East Ends. The Butler twirler fanned 7 men, and the Centralville moundsmen five. Both were touched up for six safeties.

The East Ends were first at bat and likewise the first to score. Three runners registered in the initial stanza, due to the ineffectiveness of McMillen, who walked four men. Eddie Rogers started the umpiring job behind the bat. His generosity to the East End batsmen accounted in some measure for the quartet of Annie Oakleys. Rogers gave way to McManus later in the game, and finished on the bases.

Joe Bradbury, the first East End batter let four bad ones go by and went to first on a walk. Gardner did likewise and Golden foul-flied to Gendreau. There were three on when Mort Riley took a walk and then came Dickerson with a clout down the third base line and into deep left field that cleaned the bases. Dickerson got a triple on the whack.

The East Ends failed to score again in this frame, but they kept their adversaries on the anxious seat. With only one away, Dowd walked and "Skimpy" Ryan was hit by a pitched ball, but the frame was brought to a close when Kennelly and Payton whiffed.

The Butlers failed to connect in their half of the inning, but came through with four counters in the second. Duke Baron started it off with a walk and went to second on a wild pitch. Cozy Dolan went out, Dickerman to Stoney Golden. The next batter was George Baron, "Duke's" brother. He shot a hot one at Dickerson, and Duke started for home. He made it safely when the East End third sacker heaved the ball a mile over Riley's head. On the next play Dickerson erred again when he heaved a ground-hit ball over Golden's head at first. Chase then connected for a pretty single and two men counted, with Chase coming in himself on Griffin's bingle to center.

The score at this juncture stood 4 to 3 in favor of the Butlers. It was increased two more in the third on a single past short by Duke Baron, a sacrifice by Dolan, an out by Bill Ryan and a double to left by George Baron.

The East Ends came back strong in the fourth and pushed three runs over the platter, the team batting around in so doing. Payton's double to right paved the way after one man was out. Bradbury did his waiting act and was again passed. Two runners scored on Riley's two-sacker to left centre. Golden continued the hitting by scoring Riley on a single past short, and scored himself on an error by G. Baron.

The excitement came in the last half of the fourth. Griffin walked and McMillen singled into centre. Gendreau then stepped up to the plate and caught hold of a groover. The ball sailed with terrific speed in the direction of left field, and landed foul by 20 feet. Ump McManus called it a fair ball and three runners counted. The East Ends objected to the decision, and after minutes of argumentation, it was finally decided to continue play under protest. The game was called on account of darkness in the following inning:

The score:

BUTLERS

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Laflamme lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Griffin cf	1	1	1	0	0	0
McMillen p	2	1	1	1	0	0
Gendreau c	4	1	1	8	0	0
D. Baron 1b	2	2	1	3	0	0
Dolan rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
W. Ryan 2b	2	1	0	2	1	0
G Baron 3b	2	1	1	1	0	1
Chase ss	2	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	19	8	6	15	3	1

EAST ENDS

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Bradbury lf	1	2	0	0	0	0
Gardner 2b	2	2	1	1	0	0
Golden 1b	3	1	1	4	0	0
Riley c	2	1	0	2	0	0
Dickerson 3b	2	0	2	1	1	3
Dowd ss	2	0	0	1	1	1
Kenneally cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
S. Ryan rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Payton p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Nichols c	0	0	0	3	0	0
McKenzie rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	20	6	6	12	4	4

Butlers	0	4	1	3	*	—	8
East Ends	3	0	0	4	0		7

Two base hits: G. Baron, Payton, Gardner. Three-base hit: Dickerson. Home run: Gendreau. Stolen bases: Bradbury, Laflamme, Dickerson, Golden. Sacrifice hit: Dolan. Left on bases: East Ends 7, Butlers 4. Base on balls: Off Payton 4, off McMillen 7. Struck out: By Payton 5, by McMillan 6. Hit by pitcher: By McMillan (S. Ryan.) Wild pitches: McMillan, Payton. Umpires: McManus and Rogers.

TWILIGHT NOTES

The City Twilight league game tomorrow night will bring together Marie's Americans and Ricard's Belmonts.

Gendreau's hit last night was foul. He was a surprised man to find that it had been called fair.

Cozy Dolan, star of Louis Lord's Highland Daylight teams in the past, was in right field for the Butlers. He was scheduled to twirl, but was prevented by a lame arm.

McMillen, who pitched for the Butlers, had 15 strikeouts to his credit in a game last Sunday.

Phil Payton, in the box for the East Ends, is a former "L" man of the high school. He possesses a baffling assortment.

Skimpy Ryan was forced to retire from the game when he was hit by a pitched ball.

The Baron family possesses two good ball artists in Duke and George.

Chase, the Butler third sacker, will be remembered as a star of the Butler football team.

Third Baseman Dickerson of the East Ends is a neat fielder. He scooped a couple of hard ones out of the dirt last night, but his throwing was inaccurate.

The crowd was small owing to the uncertain weather.

In their next game, the Centralville East Ends will be seen in new and natty uniforms.

Mort Riley sustained a bruised finger while catching Payton's shoot. He gave way in favor of Nichols.

Gus MacKenzie took Ryan's place in right field when the former took to the bench with a lame shoulder.

Joe Bradbury, left fielder for the East Ends, is a brother of "Ducky" Bradbury, now playing with the Belleyues. Joe is a consistent waiter and will take the prize for free passes if he continues in his present stride.

FIRPO GETS OFFER TO BOX IN NEW YORK

BUENOS AIRES, May 21.—Luis Firpo, Argentine heavyweight, today announced receipt of a cabled offer through Hugh Gartland, his business representative for a bout to be held in the Yankee Stadium, New York city, on June 27 for the benefit of the milk fund, with Floyd Johnson or Fred Fulton mentioned as his possible opponent. He did not disclose the amount of the offer, which, according to the cable, probably could be deposited in Buenos Aires.

Firpo indicated that he was not interested in the offer.

Do you know Baseball?

by Billy Evans

BY BILLY EVANS

If you want the final decision on any baseball dispute, write Billy Evans, N.E.A. Service, 1200 W. Third St., Cleveland.

Questions

1. Batsman has three balls and two strikes. The next pitch is a bad one, high and inside, close to the batter's face. The batsman ducks in order not to be hit with the ball. In so doing his bat fell to the ground. The umpire called him out.—N. E.

2. Does a batted ball have to touch an infielder or outfielder's gloved hand to be counted as an error?—A. W.

Answers

1. This play is a pure matter of judgment. Apparently the umpire decided the batsman struck at the wildly pitched ball. That could be his only excuse for calling him out.

2. Scoring base hits is up to the official scorer. When a player is only able to get one hand on the ball and that the ungloved one, the drive is usually scored a hit.

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Questions

1. If a batsman, after missing the third strike, starts for his bench and goes about 15 feet in that direction, then discovers the catcher has missed the ball, what are the baserunners rights in this case the batsman reaches home plate and runs to first base, which he reaches before the catcher can throw the ball to the first baseman. Would he be out or safe?—K. D. B.

2. Is it possible for a pitcher to make a balk when there are no men on bases?—N. S.

Answers

1. Such a play often comes up in a major league game. It is not necessary that the runner return and touch the plate when he sees the ball has gotten away from the catcher. He can start from wherever he is, when he discovers the catcher. He can start from wherever he is, when he discovers the catcher. He can start from wherever he is, when he discovers the catcher has erred on the ball. Major league umpires do not regard that he has run out of line in first starting for the bench, but simply has made the distance to first that much longer. In the case cited the runner was safe.

2. It is impossible to make a balk without any runners on the bases. An illegal delivery can be made, which would be called a ball even though it passed over the plate in the proper height. If the batter elected to hit such a delivered ball whatever happened would be regarded as legal.

An application of cold water to the top of the head, it is said, will produce sleep.

Georgia Millionaire After Turf Honors

ATLANTA, Ga., May 20.—Walter Candler, son of Dixieland's beverage king, and a millionaire in his own right, has turned to the harness turf for new thrills. Young Candler has a stable of sixty racers, many of which rank with the stars of the sport. One of his outstanding stars is Bogalousa, which he intends to send after major honors in Grand Circuit event this summer.

WESTERN MAIDENS ARE GOLF COMERS

BY JOE WILLIAMS

From out of the middle west may come the next big thriller in feminine golf, just as Edith Cummings of Chicago shot to the front last summer and fought her way to the national championship. Two foremost players among the mid-westerners are Miriam Burns of Kansas City and Louise Fordyce of Youngstown, O. Coincidentally, these two went to the finals in the western championship at Chicago last year, Miss Burns winning after a spirited struggle.

The Kansas City golfer has all the requisites to go far in the national tourney this year. Miss Fordyce is a better technician than the Missouri maiden; she hits a longer ball off the tee and is surer with her irons, but she lacks the stern competitive front that decides crises. Perhaps this will come with added experience. Like Miss Burns, the Ohio girl is a newcomer in tournament golf and her adventures in the higher realms have been limited.

Another Missourian who may create more than a passing flurry in the national this summer is Audrey Faust of St. Louis, now in England, to compete in the British championship, the only American to invade, by the way. Miss Faust came forward with a rush last fall when she played great golf against Glenna Collett and Mrs. C. H. Vanderbeck. If she has any success at all abroad she is likely to return in a very confident mood and it may take a lot of spangled golf to beat her.

The women's championship this year is likely to resolve itself into a distinct intersectional feud between the east and the west. The east will have such dependables as Glenna Collett, Marion Hollins, Alexa Stirling, Mrs. W. A. Gavin and Mrs. Vanderbeck, all of whom repose legitimately on the championship list.

The main hope of the west will be Edith Cummings, the defending champion, backed up by the Misses Fordyce, Burns and Faust, not to forget Bernice Wahl of Wisconsin, Frances Halloran of Salt Lake and Dorothy Higbie of Chicago. Nor should one overlook Mrs. Dave Gaut who votes the straight democratic ticket down in Tennessee. She probably will have no objections to making it a three-cornered intersectional scrap.

GAME CALLED OFF AT GRANITEVILLE

The Abbot Worsted-Lynn Corner game, scheduled for last evening at Graniteville was called off on account of wet grounds. With the cancellation of the game, Abbot fans were greeted with the disheartening announcement that Al Davidson, the pitching ace, must quit baseball for the season on the advice of his physician. Manager Pat McCarthy, realizing the loss of his star twirler, immediately got busy and will soon announce the signing up of two prominent hurlers.

It is with regret that the news of Davidson's retirement reaches the fans. He is easily the best pitcher seen in this vicinity in years and worked like a Trojan in every game. His presence in the lineup will be sorely missed.

Notwithstanding his going, the Abbots still possess plenty of fight and will make their opponents step lively in all future games. That the Graniteville outfit has already impressed the Boston scribes is attested to in the following paragraph penned by a Hub baseball writer:

"Abbot is startling the other members of the league in the speedy manner in which it is getting away. The Abbots won their opening encounter from Lawrence, one of the strongest all-round teams on the circuit. Whenever the team is billed to appear at any of the local grounds the fans flood to the pavilion with as much curiosity as if they were the champions. The Abbots are going right after the bunting from the start and it is going to take pitching strength of the strongest sort to quell this upstate outfit.

Four new islands were "born" last year, two off the coast of Cochin China, another off the Japanese coast and the fourth in the Bay of Bengal.

FINE WRESTLING CARD AT THE Y. M. C. A.

The final wrestling bout of the season and in many ways the best, was staged on the big mat in the Y. M. C. A. gym last night. In the 125 lb. class, Strangler Donnelly of the Indians retained the featherweight championship of Lowell. Donnelly recently defeated Young Lescard of Battery B in 12½ minutes. Last night he won over Kid Dube of the C. M. A. C. in 3 minutes and 55 seconds with a body rest and double arm hold.

Rudolph Regut and Leo Sarrasin put on a whirlwind battle. Both men showed a rare skill in getting and escaping from holds. It was declared a draw after 20 minutes of work. Both men are in the 160 pound class.

The semi-final bout brought together Kid Roberts, who is trying to come back after a long rest from wrestling and Butler Goodell of the "Y." Roberts is still middleweight champion of Lowell. For hard work and cleverness this bout was a hummer. It was declared a draw after 30 minutes of strenuous work.

The final bout brought together Jack Angelo of Battery B and Bob Johnson of the "Y." Angelo showed rare skill and had plenty of strength, making Bob use all his ring generalship to stave off defeat. At times Bob looked to be in distress but managed to pull out. Angelo is but 17 years old and has good prospects. Bob Johnson won the bout in 10 minutes and 30 seconds with a body rest and double arm lock. Johnson leaves Lowell Saturday and will not return until July when he goes to camp with Battery B.

The officials were: George Sarris, referee; C. E. Towne, timer.

This is swimming week at the Y. M. C. A. Co-operating with the National Safety council, Red Cross, Knights of Columbus, Boy Scouts and other national organizations the Y. M. C. A. is promoting "Learn to Swim" campaigns in an effort to reduce a large number of fatalities from water accidents. The Massachusetts Humane society has sent Mr. Jack Manning, formerly swimming coach of Harvard college, and during the war swimming instructor in the United States navy, to Lowell for one week to assist in teaching boys to swim. With the approval of the Lowell school board and the co-operation of the masters and principals of the junior high and grammar schools, the non-swimmers from these institutions come to the Y. M. C. A. for free instruction.

McGRAW ENTHUSES OVER RECRUIT PITCHER

By N.E.A. Service

NEW YORK, May 20.—"The most impressive game I have ever seen a recruit pitcher work."

So remarked Manager John McGraw of the New York Giants after Pitcher Wayland Dean had beaten Brooklyn 3 to 2 in 10 innings, in his National League debut.

It is questionable if any rookie pitcher ever turned in a more remarkable ball game in his first major league appearance.

In the first inning he was batted for two home runs, clean, hard drives into the left and right field bleachers at the Polo grounds.

Such a greeting is enough to throw even a veteran star off his poise. It didn't seem to disturb Dean in the least.

After a poor getaway he settled down, and for nine innings blanked the Brooklyn club, being returned the victor in the extra session.

Dean's debut will go down into history. After being struck for two home runs in the first inning, he allowed only two hits in the next eight seasons.

In the tenth and final inning he again found himself in trouble. Two hits and a pass in the extra inning filled the bases with only one out, yet he kept the Dodgers from scoring.

"Winning a ball game like that should make Dean, if there was any previous doubt as to his ability," is the way McGraw sums up the kid pitcher's opening game.

MELLO WINS BOSTON BOUT

Lowell Boy Gives N. E. Fans First Real Chance to Cheer in Big Tournament

Defeats Rubin of Baltimore in Nationals — Dropped Opponent in First Round

BOSTON, May 21.—Al Mello of Lowell gave the Greater Boston fans their first real chance to cut loose last night at the arena in the second night's bouts in the A.A.U. boxing championships, when he won the verdict over

AL MELLO

Albert Rubin of Baltimore in a bout in the 147-pound class. The Lowell boy's victory came after a series of disappointments in which New England boys had been forced to accept defeat.

Mello was given a good reception as he entered the ring against Rubin of the Baltimore Y.M.H.A. Mello dropped the oriole in the first round, shooting home his left with telling effect. In the second, while Rubin did better, his blows lacked the power behind the Lowell boxer's blows. It was the first chance the home folks had to cheer, as he gained the verdict and the applause was vigorous.

Mello will continue training for his appearance in the amateur bouts to be conducted by the Lisbon club at the Crescent rink on next Monday night.

The Nut Cracker

by Joe Williams

The distinguished Billy Evans reports that Babe Ruth is choking his bat this year, the big, heartless brute.

Gat Sikl was mangled in an auto smashup and it is feared he will never be able to fight again, thank goodness.

Apropos of nothing in particular, Mr. One Punch O'Goofly observes that no girl ever wore cotton stockings because she wanted to.

With all the class withdrawn, the Kentucky Derby looked like the Yanks without Ruth or a hip without a flask.

We don't know whether Dave Danforth of the Browns monkeys with the ball or not but he certainly makes monkeys out of the other teams.

Race bettors dropped $2,000,000 in the winter books without getting a run for their money and now they know what a freeze-out game is.

It is not surprising to hear that vegetable grow on Mars. You find some awful tomatoes wherever you go.

So harrowing tennis war still rages and at press time Bill Tilden appeared to be leading by seventeen columns.

Mons. Carpentier landed in New York the other day. There is no telling where he will land the day he fights Gibbons.

America is sending 25 fencers to the Olympics, which is just 25 more than we thought were in this country.

16 SURVIVORS DUE TO REACH PORT TODAY

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., May 21.—Sixteen survivors of the steamer Orinoco which foundered off Point Aux Mines Sunday, are expected to reach here today on the tug Garganiao, according to fragmentary wireless despatches. Among the survivors is one woman, Mrs. George L. Pool, the stewardess.

The survivors, after seeing their captain, Anthony L. Lawrence, Chief Engineer Joseph Wurst, a wheelsman and two sailors go down as they fought a 60 mile gale on Lake Superior Sunday night, made their way to Montreal Island where their signal fires attracted the attention of the crew of the Garganiao. Two bodies were recovered by the tug, according to wireless reports.

GIANTS HAVE WON BUT THREE OUT OF 13 GAMES—NOW IN THIRD PLACE

National League Champions on Verge of Being Pushed Out of First Division by Ambitious Robins and Braves—Beaten Yesterday by Pirates

NEW YORK, May 21.—Followers of the Giants may invoke the new long distance photograph to determine what has happened to the National league champions since they left the Polo Grounds.

When last seen here, McGraw's team was proud in a secure league leadership and resplendent with two absurd easy victories over the Phillies in one afternoon. Since then they have won only three of 13 games, and are now in third place, only one and one-half contests away from fifth, and in immediate danger of being shoved out of first division by the ambitious Robins and Braves.

"The most unkindest cut," a 12 to 3 defeat, was inflicted by their most bitter rivals, the cruel Corsairs, at Pittsburgh, yesterday. Wayland Dean and Earnie Mann, styled by training camp reports as the saviors of the Giant pitching staff, and the two apples of McGraw's eyes, were beaten from the box—Dean for the third time in his many starts. Jonnard, who followed, was assaulted for four runs in the last inning.

Cuyler, a Pirate rookie, stole home. Wright, the new shortstop, handled 14 chances faultlessly. Meadows, a spectacled twirler, tamed the three-time bullies of the league and the particular foes of the Pirates in previous seasons.

The Cubs beat Philadelphia, 7 to 4 in the only other big league contest not postponed by rain or cold weather yesterday. The win advanced the victors to second place, one-half game ahead of the Giants and the same distance behind Cincinnati.

Vic Keen, rookie who flashed a two-hit victory last week, held the Phillies to five blows while his mates made 11 off Ginzner and Betts. The Phils, though frustrated, were not futile. Three of their five hits were home runs by Sand, Walker and Mokan. Sand also had a triple and the last was a double by Ford. Grimes the Cubs hit his fourth homer.

HOW THEY STAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pts.
New York	16	9	.640
Boston	15	10	.600
St. Louis	15	11	.577
Detroit	14	13	.519
Cleveland	12	13	.480
Washington	12	15	.444
Chicago	11	14	.440
Philadelphia	9	18	.308

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

All games postponed—Rain.

GAMES TOMORROW

Detroit at Boston.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.
St. Louis at Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pts.
Cincinnati	16	11	.593
Chicago	18	14	.564
New York	16	13	.552
Brooklyn	14	14	.500
Boston	12	12	.500
Pittsburgh	14	15	.483
St. Louis	11	16	.407
Philadelphia	9	15	.375

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Pittsburgh 12, New York 3.
Chicago 7, Philadelphia 4.
Other games postponed—Rain.

GAMES TOMORROW

Boston at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.
New York at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Bunker Hill Juniors would like to hear from the National Indians Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. They would play them for a 75-cent ball on the South common. If challenge is accepted, answer through this paper.

The Highland Tigers are anxious to hear from any 12-14-year-old team. Call 5723-M and ask for Dan.

The Silver Stars, a newly organized team consisting of Scanlon, Curtin, McGowan, Purcell, Riley, Welch, Fielding and others, will line up against the strong Belvidere Tigers at Shedd park next Saturday. The team is a 12-14-year-old outfit. For games, call 1489-W and ask for "Tom."

The Harris Pets, who claim the 12-14-year-old championship of the city, would like to play the American Juniors for a purse of money. Games are also wanted with other 13-14-year-old teams. Call 3008-M and ask for Honky.

The Belvidere Pirates' claim they were not defeated by the Methuens, as the game had to be stopped in the fourth inning because of lack of bats. The Pirates were forced to play with but five members of their regular team. They are ready to arrange for another game with the Methuens.

This evening at Washington park, the Unities will meet the strong Dixon Sho Fix team. The Unities will use: Ploufle, Coope, White, Ela, Sylvester, Sullivan, Cornelr, Boales, McInnis, Kelley and Welcome.

The Chestnut Warriors defeated the Acre nine, 10 to 2, on the North common Sunday afternoon. The pitching of Donoghue and the fielding of McMahon featured the game for the winners, while the pitching of Cox was the outstanding feature of the losers. The Chestnuts have changed their name to the Junior Holy Name team and will meet the Acre nine at Shedd park next Sunday. Games are wanted with 14-15 year-old teams, the Sacred Hearts preferred.

Last Sunday afternoon on the South common, the Tyler A. C. Juniors met and defeated the strong Thorndike A. C. by the score of 5 to 1. The fact that the score was low serves to show how evenly matched were the contesting teams. The features of the game were the hitting of Meaney and Lindsay, the fielding of Shaughnessey and the pitching of Lindsay, who had 13 strikeouts to his credit. The Tyler team is composed of Burns, Shaughnessey, Lindsay, Skinners, Comer, Meaney, Lester, Hines, Tarpinian and Markarian. Games are wanted with 15-16 year-old teams.

The Wanetas proved that they were afraid of the Cardinals instead of the Cardinals being afraid of them when they refused to show up for their scheduled game Sunday. A game for tomorrow is wanted with the Hustlers. Call 5952-X.

The Hancock Stars would like to meet the Methuens or the Belvidere Pirates on the North common next Sunday. Call 6635-J and ask for Fred.

The Eagles challenge the Young Tigers or any other 10-12 year old team. The lineup includes Conway, Burns, Lynch, Hogan, Archibald, Moody, Ryan, Clark and Moran. For games, call 4313-M and ask for Eddie.

All former members of the Kid Royers and the Highland Cubs are asked to report at the corner of School and Branch streets at 6 o'clock this evening.

The Grand A. C. defeated the Belmonts of Lawrence at Durkin park Sunday by the score of 16 to 8. Heavy hitting featured the game. Curtis, Green, Byers and Banks slapping the apple on the nose for the winners. The winning lineup was: Greene c, Sandler p, Shapiro 1b, Banks 2b, M. Banks ss, Snider 3b, Curtis lf, Byer, Weiss, Boyan cf, Burns, Byers rf.

OPEN-AIR TOURNAMENT

Laurence S. Ayer Post, V. of F. W. will conduct an open-air tournament at the baseball park in Fitchburg Saturday, May 24. A big entry in the five classes has been received. The bouts are sanctioned by the N. E. A. A. U.

PITCHES FIFTEEN OPENERS

Walter Johnson for 15 years has pitched the opening game at Washington and been victorious in a majority of the battles. Johnson, who is in his 18th year in fast company, intends to retire from big league ball if he is able to buy a Pacific Coast League franchise.

OLD POP GEERS AFTER NEW RECORD

BY BILLY EVANS

Baseball has its illustrious veterans, the Speakers, the Johnsons, the Cobbs.

The ring game had its remarkable ancients, the Fitzsimmones, the Brittons, the Kilbanes.

Many other sports have produced notables whose enduring qualities keep stride with their blazing genius.

But the most astonishing veteran of them all—the great, great-granddaddy of the sport world, is Pop Geers, 73 years of age, and 50 years in the harness.

Did you ever stop and think that Pop was training and racing horses in Tennessee not so long after General Lee signed those immortal papers at Appomattox court house, and a couple of lifetimes before many active participants in sports today were born?

A story of Pop Geers' life on the harness turf would be a story of the Grand Circuit, since the days of the Grand Quadralateral Trotting association, beginning in 1871.

What a world of speedsters his name has been associated with! Belle Hamlin, Robert J., Direct Hal, Napoleon, Direct Etawah, Dudie Archdale, Billie Buck and scores of others.

Now Pilots Fastest Horse of All Time

Is it not fitting that the fastest harness horse of all time, Peter Manning (1:56 3-4), should now be in his stable along with Sanardo (1:59 1-2), one of the gamest pacers that ever looked through a bridle?

As a compliment to the association, Pop agreed to ship to Fremont, O., this month and start his 1924 campaign at the little half-mile track in the Ohio Short Ship circuit.

His schedule calls for a few Grand Circuit engagements this season but he will confine his efforts largely to exhibitions with the two champions. It is a combination of pleasure and profit and through them he has been able to eliminate much of the worry that is coupled up with the conduct of a big racing stable.

This should not be taken to mean that Pop has lost any of his cunning as a reinsman, because he can rate one as well as ever and knows how to "reef 'em" through the stretch.

Indeed, it is whispered that the venerable Tennesseean has made a small wager, involving some choice Havana smokes, that he will set a new world's record this year.

TIMELY TIPS TO AMATEURS

SAYS EDDIE ROMMEL

Pitcher, Philadelphia Americans

If you would be a successful pitcher, develop a change of pace the moment you have mastered the fundamentals.

There are various definitions of a change of pace. My thought is that it is the ability to slow up on the latter, using the identical motion with which the fast ball is thrown.

Change of pace depends upon three things, the development of a slow ball, a half-speed ball and control. Without control a change of pace is worthless.

I am often asked if I think a pitcher should develop a freak delivery, because of the success I have had with a freak slow ball.

If a pitcher possesses control, he is in a position to experiment. If he lacks control it is a sad mistake to try to invent a delivery that is different.

LEWIS MEETS GARDINI

PHILADELPHIA, May 21.—Ed (Strangler) Lewis of Kansas City, heavyweight wrestling champion, will defend his title here tonight, in a match to a finish, the best two out of three falls, with Renato Gardini of Boston.

This will be the second bout between the two, their first meeting here on April 8 resulting in a draw, with one fall credited to each.

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Co-Ed Marries Athlete

PALO ALTO, Calif., May 20.—"Twixt love and loyalty," might have been the title of the romance of Norman Dole, Stanford athlete, and Janice Manning, University of California student. As usual, love won. Her problem was this: If you see the man you love scoring points against your alma mater, what should you do? "Marry him; then cheer for your husband," was her answer. Thus it happened that Dole and Miss Manning were secretly married not long ago, this culminating a romance which had started in childhood days in Riverside. Dole is a quarter-miler of note. Also a footballer.

PLAYER-WRITER RULE TO BE AIRED

CHICAGO, May 21.—Both sides of player-writer rule of the United States Lawn Tennis association will be aired here tonight at a meeting called by J. C. Stewart, president of the Western association. George W. Wightman, president of the national association, and other officers will present the side of the organization and William T. Tilden, II, national champion, will state his side of the controversy.

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REAFFIRM BELIEF IN VIRGIN BIRTH

AUSTIN, Tex., May 21.—After adopting reports expressing "uncompromising opposition" toward "so-called liberalism as taught by self-styled modernists" and dealing with prohibition enforcement and Sunday observance, the 94th general assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian church adjourned late yesterday to meet the third Thursday in May, 1925, in Nashville, Tenn.

The report of the committee on education dealt with the question of fundamentalism, briefly but strongly reaffirming belief in the Virgin birth of Christ and the origin of man as told in the book of Genesis.

MISS HOLLINS MEETS MISS ORCUTT

GARDEN CITY, N. Y., May 21.—Miss Marion Hollins, former national champion, who outclassed the field in the qualifying and first rounds of the women's Metropolitan golf tournament, will meet Miss Maureen Orcutt, school girl star of Haworth, N. J., regarded as her most dangerous opponent, in the second round today.

Other pairings are: Miss Rosalie Knapp of Westbrook vs. Miss Marie Jenney of North Hempstead, L. I., Miss Elize McMahon of Scarborough vs. Mrs. F. E. Dubois of Rye, N. Y., and Mrs. N. M. Toerge of Nassau, L. I., vs. Mrs. J. L. Andersen of Cherry Valley.

The grizzly is the most keen-minded species of all bears.

KENNEL CLUB PREPARING FOR BIG SHOW

Lowell Kennel club board of governors has appointed the following stewards to assist judges at the June 12 A. K. C. show, scheduled to be held in the newly-remodelled andrefurnished Casino on Thorndike street: Fred Hassett, Joseph Foley, John G. Mackenzie, George Camp, William Mell, and Miss May Russell.

Premium lists and entry blanks were distributed at last night's meeting of the directors. The prize list is one of the best offered by any club in this vicinity. Nearly $1,000 in cash prizes and trophies constitute an attraction that is expected to bring to Lowell the very best dogs in the country. The name of Thomas Joyce, Middleton, Mass., has been added to the official list of judges. Mr. Joyce will judge foxhounds and beagles and it is expected that he will see a wonderfully large entry at the coming show.

Exhibitors who expect to make entries at the Casino on June 12, must have papers filed by Monday, May 26, so the entries can appear in the official catalogue. In order to accommodate local fanciers, arrangements have been made to take entries at No. 12 Bridge street, Friday night, Saturday afternoon and night and Monday night following. Competent club members will be on hand to assist those who are not acquainted with the make-up of the June 12 show entry forms.

Premium lists can be obtained at Bell's bakery on Bridge street, or at Ricard's jewelry store on Central street.

Lowell Kennel club has issued thousands of brilliant, 60-page premium lists and distributed them far and wide. They are handsome in every detail, with stout covers of robin's egg blue in novelty shading. The program announcements also contain the names of the club officials and the list of show supervisors, also a column devoted to praise of the popular Casino that is an ideal spot for the benching of an A.K.C. show in every particular.

Two of the busiest men today in Lowell circles of the well known canine, are President William H. Rigby and active press agent Frederick G. Humphries, who are leaving no stones unturned, etc., to make the 1921 annual licensed dog show—the second annual—a wonderful success.

VETERAN STAR UNDER KNIFE

Stricken suddenly, Rube Marquard, veteran lefthander of the Boston Braves, was compelled to undergo an operation for appendicitis the other

RUBE MARQUARD

day, and will be lost to his team for six or eight weeks, if not longer. Marquard has been pitching in the big leagues for thirteen years but is still a star despite his long term of servitude.

Cultivation of semi-arid lands does not cause any appreciable difference in the rainfall in those regions, according to the records of the department of agriculture.

Billy Evans Says

Babe Ruth is nothing if not original.

Babe became baseball's greatest idol because of his ability to hit the ball farther than any other human being.

Sportdom likes the athlete who packs the punch in any line of endeavor. Ability to hit home runs made Ruth.

Last season, Ruth, although failing to smash any home-run record, did break the season's base-on-balls figure.

Passing Ruth in the pinch—not giving him a chance to hit when a home run might change the complexion of the old ball game——got on the big fellow's nerves.

The Babe tried to cross 'em up by resorting to the bunting game, and met with fair success.

In an interview from the Yankees' southern training camp this spring, Ruth was quoted as saying he was going to pass up the strategy this season and go back to bustin' them again.

Apparently Bambino has suffered an early change of mind. While he is still taking his healthy swing on most occasions, he is also choking up his bat against certain kinds of pitching, in an effort to hit into left field.

In the parlance of baseball, Ruth is known as a dead right-field hitter. He will probably drive eight out of ten balls to that field.

With this knowledge, the opposition play for him accordingly, and rob him of many a hit because of the peculiar defense essayed with him at the bat.

In the infield, the first baseman moves over to the foul line, the second baseman plays where the first baseman is regularly stationed, the shortstop is almost directly back of second, while the third baseman moves over to the shortstop's usual position.

The outfield shifts along the same lines used by the infield.

The pitcher tries to so work on Ruth that he will pull to right field.

This peculiar shift with Ruth at bat leaves a big space for him to hit in left field. In reality there is no left fielder with Ruth at bat. Now for the strategy.

Ruth, a natural right-field hitter, is attempting to cross the opposition by hitting into left field.

It is apparent that a short fly ball, dropped just out of the infielder's reach in left field, would always be good for at least two bases.

Ruth essays to hit into left field on all balls pitched out side, the system used when the pitcher isn't very anxious for him to take a cut at the ball.

In a recent game with Chicago, with the crafty Thurston pitching against the Yankees, Ruth reached out and seemed to merely push at a badly pitched ball. It dropped into the left-field bleachers for a home run—one of the very few he has made to that field.

As the ball dropped into the stand, Catcher Ray Schalk turned to me and said, "That's the first home-run bunt I have ever seen."

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TO STIMULATE INTEREST IN SALVATION ARMY

NEW YORK, May 21.—Evangeline Booth, commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, leaves for a seven day motor trip in Connecticut and Massachusetts today, accompanied by 12 automobiles and two bands. Her purpose is to stimulate interest in the work of the Salvation Army in the two states.

Miss Booth will start her addresses at South Norwalk, Conn., and Bridgeport, Conn., and will make 20 open air speeches in all, finishing at Holyoke, Mass., on Tuesday, May 27. The itinerary, which is in charge of Col. William A. McIntyre of Boston, includes Westfield, Springfield, Northampton, Amherst and Holyoke, Mass.

TO CONTINUE PARIS-TO-TOKIO FLIGHT

SHANGHAI, May 21.—(By the Associated Press) Captain Pelletier D'Oisy, French aviator, who damaged his plane yesterday in landing here, has overcome his disappointment at the interruption to his projected flight from Paris to Tokio and is considering seriously the offer of a Chinese plane for continuation of his flight.

The offer was made yesterday by General Ho Fen Lung, military governor of Shanghai. If D'Oisy accepts he will proceed toward Tokio within a week.

A survey of the situation reveals that there are available only what D'Oisy terms reconnaisance airplanes but he believes that one of them, a Pregute, is capable of carrying him on if his journey is rearranged into shorter stages.

50,000 CLOAK AND SUIT WORKERS TO STRIKE

NEW YORK, May 21.—The joint board of the cloak and suit trades meets tonight to prepare for a threatened strike of 50,000 cloak and suit operatives on June 1. The strike became imminent yesterday when negotiations between officials of the International Ladies' Garment Workers union and the Cloak, Suit and Dress Manufacturers' Protective association were broken off.

EARLY DECISION ON THE REVENUE BILL

WASHINGTON, May 21.—An early decision by the conferees on the revenue bill was indicated today, Chairman Smoot of the senate group having announced that they had progressed to a point where action must be taken on the major provisions.

Renewed contests over various tax reduction proposals are in prospect in both chambers when the conference report is received but leaders of both parties have indicated that if the conference's action is approved by a majority of the conferees, no serious fights will be made on the floor.

Agreement had been reached last night on most of the provisions in the bill except the income tax schedule, the sub-corporation imposing a levy on undistributed profits, and the proposal for full publicity of tax returns.

While doubt exists as to the attitude of President Coolidge toward any tax reduction next year in lieu of enactment of the bonus law, administration leaders are bending every effort toper the bill in line as nearly as possible with administration views.

Drunkards are cured in a Norway "Home for Inebriates" by a wine diet. They are given nothing to drink but wine and their food is soaked in wine. It is said that they become so tired of wine in a week that they "swear off."

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REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE HOLDS MEETING

A regular meeting of the Lowell Real Estate Exchange was held yesterday noon in the Y.M.C.A. hall with President Gay in the Y.M.C.A. hall with Presi-

Following luncheon, Secretary Edward Slattery, Jr., and Treasurer Walter E. Guyette reported and their reports were accepted.

Martin B. Sullivan was accepted as a member and several applications were referred to the membership committee.

On motion of President Campbell, the treasurer was authorized to collect contributions for the Capt. Cunningham fund.

Speaking on the good of the exchange, Treasurer Guyette decried the tendency of local brokers to bewail the fact that business is not as good as last year. Last year, he said, was an abnormal year and this year's business is the kind that should be encouraged, as the buyers this year are mainly local men. He attacked the methods of so-called "curb brokers" and urged the members to stand together in combating these methods.

Mr. Guyette's talk was warmly applauded and following its conclusion a general discussion of ways and means was held.

Today's meeting of the exchange was scheduled as the final one of the spring season but the members present favored holding a meeting in June. At this meeting plans will be discussed concerning the holding of an outing in July or August.

TRIAL AGAIN POSTPONED

WORCESTER, May 20.—Further postponement of the trial of Joseph B Marcino, Frank L. Taylor and Abraham Goldman on charges returned in connection with the looting of the First National Bank of Warren, on Feb. 3, 1923, was caused today when Judge Edward T. Broadhurst, presiding, announced that he wished further time to consider the pleas made by counsel yesterday to prevent the trial of Marcino. The announcement came this morning as counsel for the defense and Asst. Dist. Atty. Charles B. Rugg were ready to proceed with trial of the cases.

TRAIN HITS AUTO, MAN KILLED, ANOTHER HURT

BETHEL, Vt., May 20.—Edson Robinson, 63, of South Hero, was almost instantly killed and S. S. Pike, 69 also of South Hero, was severely injured today when a small automobile in which they were riding, was struck by a Central Vermont passenger train at the foot of the Church street hill in this village. The vehicle was smashed and was pushed 400 feet across a railroad bridge over the White Mountain branch.

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO ROGERS BILL

WASHINGTON, May 20.—Senate amendments to the Rogers bill to reorganize the diplomatic and consular services were accepted today by the house and the measure now goes to the president.

MAYORS CONSIDER TRAFFIC PROBLEMS

NEW YORK, May 20.—Mayors and other city officials and representatives of more than 400 cities, towns, villages and civic organizations in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut within a radius of 50 miles of New York city, met in town hall today, to consider the traffic problems of the region. Gov. Silzer of New Jersey, Lieut. Gov. George R. Lunn of New York and Mayor Hylan of this city were among the scheduled speakers.

IMMIGRATION BILL BEFORE STATE DEPT.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—Pending receipt of reports from the state and labor departments on the immigration bill and its Japanese exclusion provisions, President Coolidge will leave undetermined his action on the measure.

The bill already has been examined by the labor department, which administers the immigration laws, and returned with a report and now is before the state department.

COOLIDGE TO REMAIN IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, May 20.—Adjournment of congress, expected early next month will not change the intention of President Coolidge to remain in Washington during the summer.

He has vetoed a suggestion that he should leave the capital for a short rest after congress quits.

MARTIN'S MOTHER

Like the old Spartan mothers, Mrs. Nancy J. Martin, mother of Major Frederick L. Martin, wants her son to carry on. She is glad he will be permitted to rejoin the American 'round-the-world flight eventually Mrs. Martin, now a resident of Mobridge, S. D., was visiting her old home in Connersville, Ind., when news of her son's safety reached her.

TO REIMBURSE SEN. GREENE

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The government was asked today in a joint resolution introduced by Senator Lodge to reimburse Senator Frank L. Greene of Vermont, for expenses incurred as a result of injuries sustained when he was shot down here during a chase of suspected bootleggers by prohibition officers.

A total of $7500 was fixed as the amount to be paid the Vermont senator, who yesterday made his first appearance in the senate for serveral months.

BOOM GOV. RITCHIE FOR PRESIDENT

SALISBURY, Md., May 20.—The first concerted movement to place the name of Gov. Albert C. Ritchie before the democratic national convention for the presidential nomination has been started here with the organization of the "Albert C. Ritchie-for-president-club."

INDUSTRIAL WORKER IS ROTARY CLUB SPEAKER

Addressing nearly 100 members of Lowell Rotary club yesterday, following a chicken dinner, Frank S. Fannon, industrial expert and advocate of new ideas in the handling of human labor problems, gave the Rotarians something to think about and something to remember.

Before the speaker was introduced, clubmen were asked to keep up the members' attendance campaign and make the May record a "breaker." Attendance averaged up for the four April sessions, w s not satisfactory to the club leaders, who are out solid for increased figures in weekly attendance summaries. Several guests were present today from Boston, Lawrence, Salem and Concord, N. H. Songs followed the dinner and President Spaulding introduced Mr. Fannon.

The industrial student has ranged the busy goods' production centers of the country orf mail points of the compass, not overlooking the south. He has been learning as well as teaching, he said, and he finds today a new spirit in many industrial centers that is working out for the best interests of employes as well as the employed.

"But too many employes today are overlooking several important things in trying to solve the mysteries of business stagnation, uncertain production and troublesome problems in the ranks of the employe producers," continued Mr. Fannon.

"In numberless manufacturing concerns today, employers devote 95 per cent of their attention to plant and production and the other 5 per cent to their employes. You know this is true. You can pick instances of this very condition right here in your own community.

"Business cannot be conducted prosperously nor profitably in the long run, when the employes are neglected. It is a problem that must be solved in the months to come, if general business is to recover and reestablish itself upon a firm foundation. It means that employes must be given more consideration in the endeavors of the management to secure better production and more output. Workmen in many plants are only 75 or 80 per cent efficient, instead of 100 per cent as they are able to be if they want to, just because there is no cooperation, no direct interest in their welfare, no personal support of their activities or even any indication of real indorsement.

"What manufacturing concerns of America need more than anything else is the education of employes—not the education of the school books, perhaps but the education that should be undertaken by employers all, to instill in each employe the pride that should go with his productive abilities, the pride that the employer has in the men who labor faithfully and honestly, and the profit, both financially and fraternally and in loyalty, that comes to both ranks of those engaged in the same industry."

Mr. Fannon gave many instances of neglect on the part of large employers of men, in corporations capitalized in the millions, where money and profits were first thought of before the welfare of employes.

In manufacturing establishments where little attention is paid to the welfare, happiness and aspirations of workingmen and women, Mr. Fannon continued, it was found that the percentage of loyalty to the firms averaged about as follows:

Faithful employes—20 per cent. Average holding-down-the-job—70 per cent. Radical employes—10 per cent.

Conditions like this are due to the employers entertaining no interest, no personal interest that counts in the long run, in the working conditions of employes.

When workers in an industrial plant discover that their employer has no sympathy with them personally, that he shows no indication of an intimate interest in their personality and ambitions, discipline is lacking and production falls off. In the end, the employer, devoting 95 per cent. of his time and solicitude in his plant and industrial pursuits and only 5 per cent. to the welfare and employment conditions of his workmen, plays a losing proposition every time, the speaker said.

Mr. Fanning insisted that industrial magnates who take a more personal interest in the conditions of their employes at all times in shop and out of shop, and in closely attending to all requirements that will arouse in the workers a personal pride in their employment, in the industry they support and in the success of that industry, will be successful in the production fields of America in the future.

MISS CHAMBERLAIN DEAD

CAMBRIDGE, May 20.—Miss Laura Brandlee Chamberlain, from 1879 to 1885 an American Board Missionary at Sivas, Turkey, and a native of Peacham, Vt., died at her home here yesterday. Her grandfather, General William Chamberlain, was a member of congress from Vermont for two terms and lieutenant governor of Vermont from 1813 to 1815.

DR. CHARLES H. CLARK DEAD

EXETER, N. H., May 20.—Dr. Charles H. Clark, who with Mrs. Clark for eighteen years conducted Dunbar Hall, a dormitory for younger boys here, died last night. He was born in Bangor, Me., in 1854, and graduated from Bowdoin in 1878. He taught school at Rockland, Auburn and Bath, Me., and Andover, Mass., and was principal of Sanborn seminary, Kingston, N. H., from 1885 to 1896.

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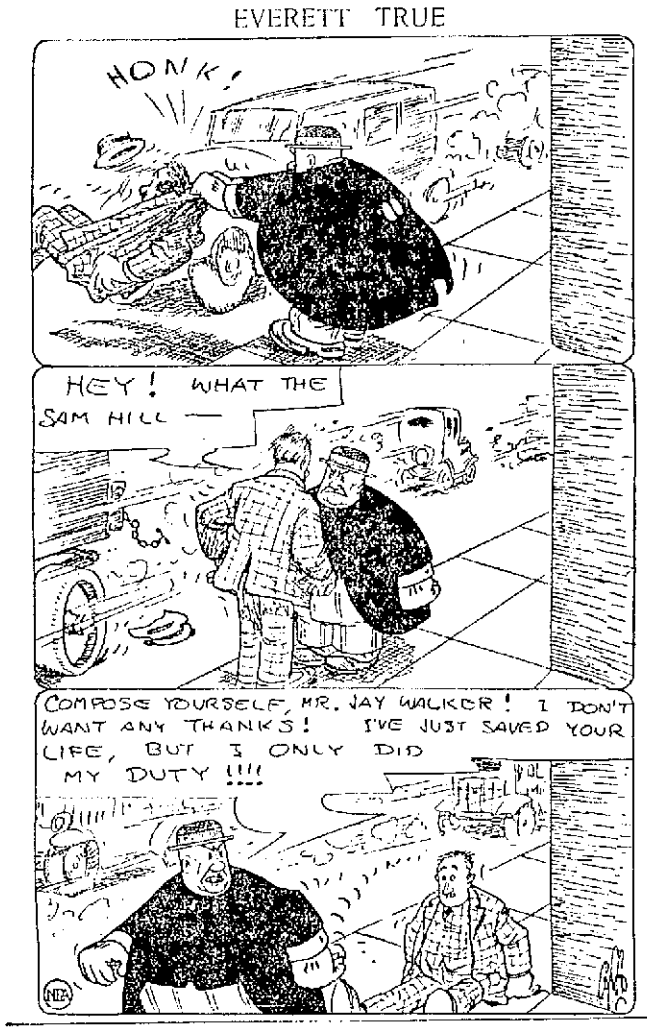

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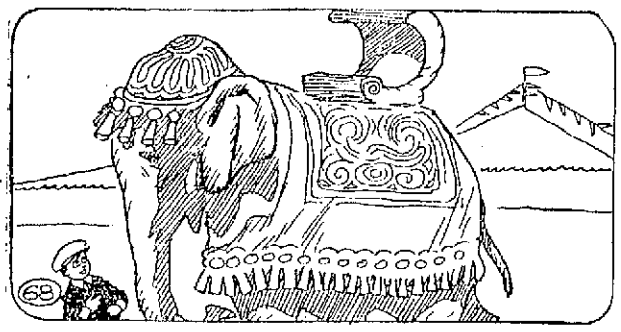
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Jack Daw's Adventures. Chapter 23

At first Jack thought it would be great fun to ride on a camel. And then on second thought he told the elephant man that he'd rather ride on Boscoe, the friendly elephant's back. "Oh, we can arrange that easily enough," came the reply. And the cowboy let Jack down on the ground.



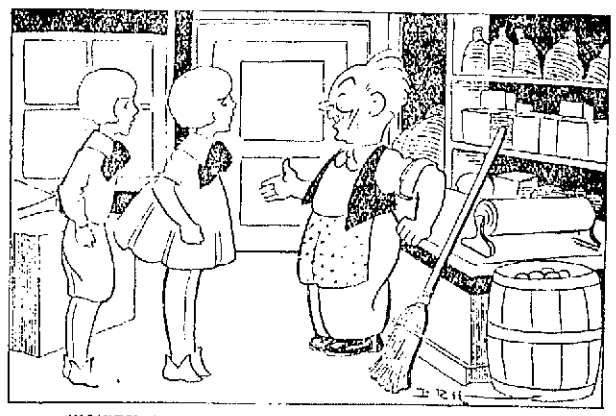
The trainer led the way to where Boscoe was standing. Jack was very much surprised when he saw his clumsy friend. The circus folks had dressed him all up and he had gold and silver trimmings all over his back. And right on top was a regular little seat with a cover on it.

"You can ride up in that seat if you want to," said the elephant trainer. "Oh, that will be great," replied Jack. And just then Jack heard a familiar bark. Looking around he saw Flip, seated in a little pony cart right beside the clown who had borrowed the dog. (Continued.)

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

A PICKLE FOR NOTHING



"YOU'RE BOTH HIRED TO DO CHORES AND ERRANDS"

Nancy and Nick thought the little store in the woods very funny, and they thought that Mister Bags, the fairy storekeeper, was still funnier.

They were ever so pleased when he clasped his hands over his fatty tummy and said beamingly, "You're both hired to do chores and errands at ten cents a week."

Just then Samantha Squirrel opened the door which went tingalinkaling whenever you pushed it the teeniest bit.

"Do you have any new spring hats?" she asked.

"Yes, indeedie," said Mister Bags. "Which kind would you like best, a yellow one trimmed in pink ribbon, or a blue one trimmed in green flowers? We also have some pink ones trimmed in red, and some red ones trimmed in pale blue pinkish orange."

"Let me see them," said Mrs. Squirrel. "I'll try them all on and see which one suits my complexion best. The red one trimmed in greenish, orangine, yellow sounds the nicest."

"You mean pale blue, pinkish, orange," said Mister Bags. "But that's an idea! I'll have to trim one in greenish orangine yellow. You are very smart, Mrs. Squirrel, to think of such a thing."

"My husband says I should have been a milliner," said Mrs. Squirrel. "I know so much about flowers 'n' things."

"It's millers, you mean," said Nancy. "Millers are the people who know all about flour. They make it."

"Milliners and flowers, my dear," said Mrs. Squirrel firmly. "Please keep your place. I know what I'm talking about."

Well Mrs. Squirrel started to try on. And she tried on and tried on and tried on until Nick began to think she was going to try on the dish pans and butter bowls and market baskets.

"There is nothing here that suits me at all," said Mrs. Squirrel finally, turning up her nose and wiggling her whiskers and whisking her tail. "I could trim hats all around you, Mister Bags. I'd just as leave wear a soup tourren as any of these hats you have here. Give me a pound of butter and two pickles and I'll be going. I'm expecting company to supper."

Poor Mister Bags was handing her her butter and her pickles when she said briskly, "Please charge and send them. I'm not accustomed to carrying packages."

"Very well, madam," said Mr. Bags obligingly, writing in a great big book. "The butter is five cents a pound and the pickles are one cent."

"What!" shrieked Mrs. Squirrel. "Five cents a pound! Why, that's pure robbery. I never heard of anything so expensive. I won't take it at all, or the pickles either. Wait a minute. I'll taste the pickles and see if they are good."

So she ate a whole pickle.

"No, they aren't a bit good," she declared. "I don't want anything today. Good day!"

"My goodness!" said Nancy as Mr. Bags was patiently putting back the butter and all the hats and the other pickle. "Wasn't she unpleasant?"

"She just wanted a little lunch," said Mr. Bags. "That's the way she gets it."

(To Be Continued)

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SUIT AGAINST FISKE ESTATE TRUSTEES

The case of Julia H. F. Burd of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., against the local firm of Robbins & Ellis, former trustees for the Josiah Fiske estate, and having to do with the sale of the Fiske property in Central street by the trustees, has been assigned a trial date early in September in the equity session of the superior court at East Cambridge. Mrs. Burd brings suit through the office of Atty. William P. Regan.

Scientists say that a fall in the mean annual temperature of Europe of nine degrees Fahrenheit would bring back the glacial period and cover the continent with vast sheets of ice.

Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Robert J. Howarth, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Herbert N. Howarth, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the ninth day of June, A.D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, thirty days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

CHARLES N. HARRIS, Assistant Register.

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Automobiles

AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES 17

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Rooms—Board

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APARTMENTS—TENEMENTS 94

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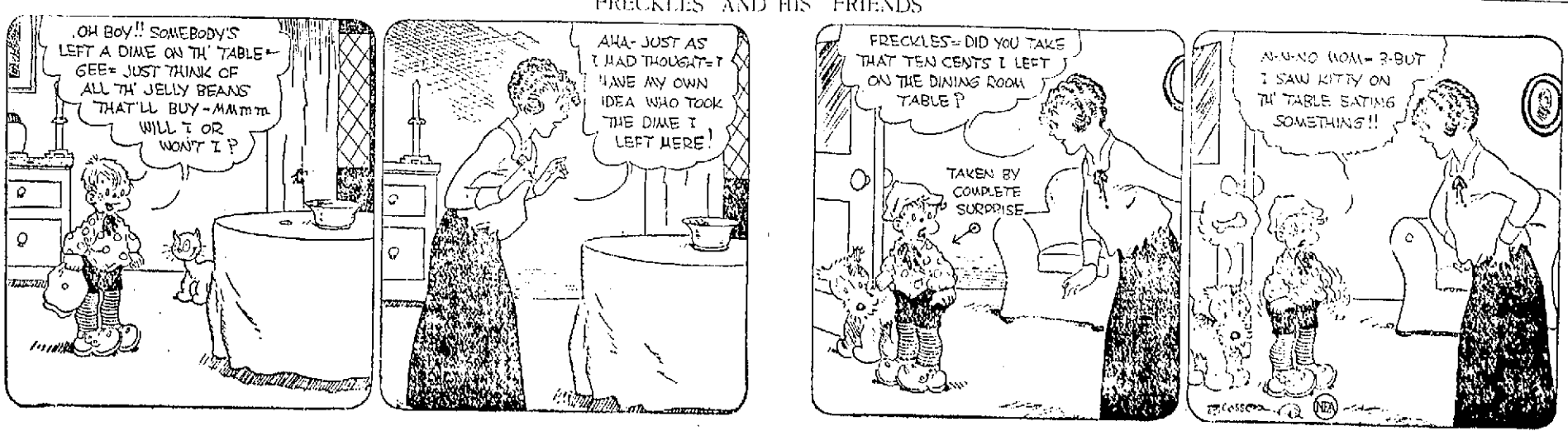

WILL NOT BE CANDIDATE FOR ANY POLITICAL OFFICE

Benjamin Loring Young Will Devote All of His Time Until Next November to Election of President Coolidge—Announcement Big Surprise

(Special to The Sun.)

BOSTON, May 21.—The biggest surprise of the present political campaign occurred today, when Benjamin Loring Young, speaker of the state house of representatives, announced that he will not be a candidate for any political office this fall, but will instead devote all of his time until next November to the election of President Calvin Coolidge.

Speaker Young has been looked upon as an avowed candidate for the republican nomination for lieutenant-governor, and for many months republican leaders all over the state have been lining up for him or for Frank G. Allen, president of the state senate.

In recent weeks, and particularly since the refusal of Governor Channing H. Cox to become a candidate for the republican nomination for United States senator, much pressure has been brought to bear upon Young to get him into the field. His friends have believed that his comparative youth, and his great virility as a campaigner, would make him the ideal opponent of Senator David I. Walsh. Friends of Walsh, too, have admitted quietly that the senator looked upon Young as the man whom he would have the most difficulty in defeating.

There is little doubt, too, that friends of President Allen have been prominent in the movement to get Young into the senatorial race, thereby making the lieutenant-governor nomination sure for their own candidate.

His decision, announced today in language of finality, clears the situation in both contests. However, Allen will receive the republican nomination for lieutenant-governor, probably without opposition, and practically every republican leader of state wide prominence will be found supporting Speaker Frederick H. Gillett of the national house for senator.

The statement of Speaker Young is as follows:

"During recent weeks many of my colleagues in the legislature and other friends throughout the state have urged me to become a candidate for office in the coming election. It was my intention to withhold any statement until after the prorogation of the legislature. My duties as speaker of the house demand absolute fairness and impartiality, and I did not wish to prejudice my present office by any personal political activity. A growing demand, however, that my plans be made public requires me to issue a definite statement.

"The one great issue in the coming campaign in Massachusetts and the nation is the election of President Coolidge. To that great purpose every personal ambition and local interest must be subordinated. I have therefore offered by services to William M. Butler, who as chairman of the republican national committee will have charge of the national campaign for the president. He has suggested certain work which he believes I can and should undertake. I have now received from him the following telegram.—

'Washington, D. C.

Hon. B. Loring Young,
State House, Boston, Massachusetts.

I hope you have concluded to respond favorably to my suggestion that you help in the national campaign. Your assistance will be greatly appreciated.
(Signed) WILLIAM M. BUTLER.'

"I have today replied as follows.—

Hon. William M. Butler,
Washington, D. C.

Will report for duty as soon as legislature has adjourned and certain personal affairs arranged. My services then absolutely at your disposal until after election of President Coolidge next November.
(Signed) B. L. YOUNG.'

"I understand that the work I am to do will require my presence in various parts of the country. Under these conditions, therefore, I am not a candidate for any public office, and I trust that my many friends who have urged me to enter the republican primary will devote the same energetic support which they offered to me, to the cause of the president.

"I have served in the house of representatives for nine years and for the last four years have been speaker of the house. I have found interest and enjoyment in my public work, and have, I hope, been able to contribute something to the welfare of Massachusetts. I felt some doubt whether my duty to my constituents and friends throughout the state required me to continue in public office or whether I might not, at least for a time, resume private practice in my profession of the law. I have been freed from any immediate necessity of deciding that question. The manifest duty of every republican is to govern his own conduct in that way which will best promote the success of the president and his policies. For every reason, therefore, I welcome the opportunity to devote the coming summer and fall to the work of the national campaign." HOYT.

ATTACKS FILENE PLAN

German Paper Says Peace Will Come When France Comes to Her Senses

HAMBURG, May 21.—The leading nationalist organ here, the Hamburger Nachrichten, has attacked the prize competition under the offer of Edward A. Filene, of Boston, for a thesis on the question how best to obtain peace and conserve prosperity among the European nations. This newspaper declined to publish the details of the contest on the ground that it would mean aiding a movement practically aiming at a new confession of guilt by Germany.

"It is useless to rack one's brains over the question of peace," says the Nachrichten, "when the answer can be given in less than a score of words: Peace will come when France comes to her senses and the lying Versailles document is sacrificed to truth."

RINGLING BROTHERS CIRCUS NOT COMING

John J. Flaherty, clerk of the local license commission this morning received a telegram from W. J. Conway of the Ringling Brothers circus, stating that the big show has been forced to cancel its application for a license to appear here this year. The circus people had previously made application to show in Lowell on June 4.

The Sells-Floto circus will appear in Lowell on June 18, while the Sparks circus is scheduled to come here sometime in June also.

Conference On Mental Hygiene

Continued

Massachusetts Society for Mental Hygiene.

The conference was in the nature of a forerunner to mental health clinics to be established in this city under the direction of the state department of mental hygiene, the first of which will be held at the Lowell Corporation hospital next Monday at 2 p. m. This clinic will be free to adolescents and adults and will continue weekly as long as it is deemed advisable. Habit clinics for children of pre-school age will be held later on.

Last evening's meeting was presided over by Arthur C. Spalding, chairman of a temporary local publicity committee, who with Miss Alice M. Ball of the Lowell Social Service league, had in hand the plans for the meeting.

All of the speakers stressed the fact that the clinics to be held and the treatments to be given are corrective and strictly along the line of prevention in the habit-forming period of age.

Dr. Walter E. Fernald spoke particularly of the possibilities of training the feeble-minded to certain forms of work and pointed out that vocational lines offer an excellent field of training. He colored his remarks with pertinent illustrations of what has been done in this line at the Waverly school.

Dr. William A. Bryan spoke of the danger signals along the way and said that parents and teachers can study a child by knowing his habits and can direct him to use the limit of his intelligence.

Dr. George K. Pratt, representing the Massachusetts Society for Mental Hygiene, explained its aims and purposes and told of the work already accomplished. He stressed the need of support from this community through the establishment of a branch of the society and thereby give moral support to the state clinics. He said the Massachusetts society was incorporated in 1911 and has come to be a powerful health organization working in co-operation with the state health authorities.

"The society is attacking one of the greatest problems of our civilization," he declared, "but needs resources to allow it to continue its work successfully."

Hon. Herbert C. Parsons, the fourth speaker, touched briefly and lightly upon the problems growing out of the presence of wayward children.

At the close of the meeting nearly 50 men and women signed cards expressing interest in the establishment of mental hygiene society branch in Lowell.

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PUBLIC SALE—97,109 SQUARE FEET

ON MIDDLESEX STREET AND MIDDLESEX PARK, A PART OF THE COSTIKYAN CARPET COMPANY TRACT, TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON NEXT SATURDAY, MAY 24TH, 1924, AT 4 O'CLOCK P. M.

The remaining real estate holdings of the Costikyan Carpet Co. in Lowell, consisting of two building lots, containing 53,129 square feet with frame barn thereon, being Lot 3 on detailed plan, situated on Middlesex street, between Nos. 1535 and 1553 on the street, and 3650 square feet, being Lot 2 on said plan, situated in Middlesex Park, next to No. 35 on the street, is hereby pledged to the highest bona fide bidders, at absolute and unrestricted public sale; both lots are to be sold as one parcel. The Middlesex street lot has a frontage of 158.10 feet on the street, thus making it of great value for development. It is located within a step of the John C. Meyer Co.; the Eastern Massachusetts St. Railway car barns, the new roundhouse of the B. & M. R.R., comfortable walking distance of the Bay State Cotton Corp., the Saco-Lowell Foundry, the Lyon Carpet Co., and numerous other manufacturing industries, also within a short step of the great real estate development now in progress throughout the Highlands section of the city. The lot with its area and splendid frontage has most unusual advantages for the real estate operator, the opportunity to sub-divide into home plots, or develop as a modern manufacturing site owing to its accessibility to the main line of the Southern Division of the Boston & Maine is ideal; its location, surrounded by high grade homes; within short distance of industry, directly on the Middlesex Street, North Chelmsford and Tyngsboro car line, and the fact that vacant land is in such demand, and that building operations in Lowell never were as great as at present, make this sale of extraordinary importance, and should strongly appeal to builders, speculators and investors, as rarely, if ever, is the chance given to purchase such a large parcel, with such environment, and more particularly at open competition.

Terms: $400 must be deposited or secured with the auctioneer just as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

By order of COSTIKYAN CARPET CO.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BANDIT KILLED IN GUN FIGHT

One of Two Highwaymen Who Held Up Brooklyn Man, Was Shot to Death

Patrolman Rushed to Scene by Passing Motorist Shot Down Fleeing Gunman

NEW YORK, May 21. One of two highwaymen who held up Walter Hankowitz, Brooklyn business man, in the Elmhurst section early today, was shot to death in a running pistol fight with a patrolman who was rushed to the scene by a passing motorist who saw the crime.

The highwaymen did not know they were under observation until the patrolman had stolen upon them, knocked the gun from the hands of one and collared him. The other took to his heels, and the officers opened fire, which was returned by the fugitive without effect. He disappeared and his partner, who said he was Herman Manstert, 28, a clerk, was taken to jail. Half an hour later, a pedestrian found the body of the fugitive several blocks from the scene of the crime. He had been shot through the back. He has not been identified.

IS REPRESENTING LOWELL JEWELERS

Frank Ricard, the Central street jeweler, is representing the Lowell jewelers at the New Hampshire Retail Jewelers' association convention which opened in Concord, N. H. today. Mr. Ricard accepted a special invitation issued by Arthur DeMontigny, president of the association, and left Lowell on the 9.40 train this morning. He will remain over until the close of the session tomorrow.

Today's activities opened at 2 o'clock with an address of welcome by Hon. Willis H. Flint, mayor of Concord. An executive session followed.

Tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock, a banquet will be held in the Eagle hotel, at which the toastmaster will be Hon. Perry D. Thompson of this city.

METROPOLITAN HANDICAP

NEW YORK, May 21.—The 29 day meeting of the Metropolitan Jockey club at the Jamaica track will close today after which the thoroughbreds will move to Belmont Park.

The opening at Belmont tomorrow will be featured by the running of the Metropolitan handicap and the first of the special international steeplechase subscription races.

There are more than 2,000,000 acres of peanuts under cultivation in this country.

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TO CLOSE OFFICE HERE

Local Office of Organized Reserve to Be Discontinued Next Month

The local office of the Organized Reserve, which has been located in the Hildreth building for the past two years, will be discontinued June 30 of this year, according to unofficial communications received at the office from Boston headquarters of the First Corps area recently.

Major Francis J. Toohey, C.A.C., executive officer of this district, and his

MAJ. FRANCIS J. TOOHEY, C.A.C.

two assistants, Privates Roland E. Falls and Louis Bahl, it is understood, will be assigned for duty either at corps headquarters in the army base, Boston, or at one of the forts in Boston harbor.

Major Toohey has been in charge of the local office since its opening here and has been very successful in signing up officers and enlisted men for the Reserve service, which is termed the third unit of the national defense. When first detailed to this district, he was authorized to enlist only for units of the Eleventh Corps and was instructed to form a motorized service battery unit and a supply battery unit. As these units were

As these units were brought up to regular strength, he was instructed to sign up men for the quartermaster, dental, medical and infantry branches, to organize a local engineer regiment and also to extend his field of operations to take in the greater part of Middlesex county and Lawrence, Haverhill and their surrounding towns in Essex county.

Very little difficulty was experienced in recruiting men throughout this district and as a result of the local office's success, Major Toohey was named as executive officer of the reserve coast defense of Boston with power to enlist and commission men for the reserve coast artillery corps. Like success was met with in the coast artillery units as with the units of the Eleventh Corps and the local office soon earned the name of being the most successful sub-recruiting station of the reserve in the country.

What the reason for closing this office is has not been made public but it is believed that another office will be opened here in the fall. It is doubtful, however, if Major Toohey or his assistants will return to take up duties at the new office.

Merrimack Park
TONIGHT
CHECK DANCING
FRIDAY—Special Request Murphy's Hampton Beach Orchestra

Well, I Reckon and I Guess Just About the Best
Melvin Mury's Orchestra
Again at the
GRANGE HALL
Thursday Evening, May 22
With the Melvin Mury Co.
Tickets, 50c. Let's Go.

ROBBER BAND OF 100 AT WORK

Passed Over Soviet Border and Pillaged Village of Kryzywicze, Says Warsaw

Killed or Wounded Some 20 Inhabitants, Among Them the Church Pastor

WARSAW, May 21.—All Poland is aroused in consequence of dispatches from the eastern regions stating that a robber band numbering 100 well armed men two days ago passed over the Soviet frontier and pillaged the village of Krzywicze, 18 miles from the border, killing or wounding some 20 of the inhabitants, among them the church pastor.

The robbers cut the telephone and telegraph and escaped back into Russia.

CONGRESS TERMED A "LEGISLATIVE FACTORY"

NEW YORK, May 21.—Congress is on the right road in seeking to restrict immigration to residents of northern and western Europe, Harry R. Landis, assistant commissioner of immigration at New York said in an address prepared for delivery before the annual convention of the National Association of Manufacturers today. Mr. Landis said the country was not getting a high type of immigrant under the present law, and that all that it accomplished was to permit the entrance of the "least worst."

James A. Emery, general counsel for the association, however, in another prepared address, termed congress a "legislative factory" criticizing it for permitting the increase in number of government employes.

Mr. Landis said that immigrant laborers and servants have turned merchants; hot dog merchants, vegetable merchants, shoe string merchants and penny whistle merchants.

"To the credit of congress, be it said, that the much criticized quota law is tending to bring us more of the stalwart Scandinavians and other so-called Nordics and fewer of the buttonhole makers."

Mr. Landis urged action in the matter of establishing a regular check-up system on aliens after they had been admitted.

Mr. Emery laid the blame for inefficient government at the door of the average citizen, who by his indifference became "unconsciously the ally of every treasury raider."

The outstanding action at yesterday's session was the presentation of a platform of American industry by a committee of more than 100 American industrialists. The platform pleaded for the creation of a world court free of entanglements of the League of Nations.

Don't Drug Yourself in the Springtime

Father John's Medicine Is the Safest Spring Tonic

A great many people really need a tonic in the springtime. They should take a real tonic food such as Father John's Medicine which tones up the system by building new flesh and strength and not by false stimulation or drugging. Remember Father John's Medicine does not contain any alcohol or dangerous drugs. Over 68 years of success.—Adv.

LOWELL BOYS WILL GO TO MILITARY TRAINING CAMP AT DEVENS

Fourteen Recruits Sign Up From This City and Are Very Enthusiastic Over Prospects of Going to Camp—All Are Physically Fit

Fourteen youthful Lowell "raw recruits" of bubbling patriotic ambition, have temporarily "joined the colors," eager to engage in military maneuvers at the summer citizens' training camp at Devens.

Headquarters of First Corps area, U.S.A., army base in Boston, reports today that numerous Lowell young men are now registered on the list of recruits, who desire to participate in the active programs arranged for the summer citizens' military training maneuvers at Camp Devens this summer.

Contrary to reports from unofficial sources published last week, to the effect that Lowell citizenry was showing little enthusiasm for summer military training at Ayer this year, a goodly number of Lowell young men of excellent character, physique and good intentions have applied for membership in the Lowell assignment list have been examined and found not wanting and are now listed on the official military rolls at First Corps headquarters in Boston.

The Sun received today the official tidings, which bear these names of would-be soldiers, all Lowell natives and proud of the fact that they are going "over there" for a few weeks to Camp Devens with the rest of the 3000 healthy recruits from all over New England, eager to train in the preparedness maneuvers that mean so much to Uncle Samuel in his present uncertainty and isolation from wide world troubles.

Here is the list of 1924 Lowell recruits thus far accepted:

Loren Danforth Barrows, 3 West View street.

James Macdonald Burns, 543 Rogers street.

Carleton W. Carpenter, 175 Princeton street.

Frederick E. Dugdale, 12 Victoria street.

Barrett Fisher, 92 Holyrood avenue.

Richard Frank Gray, 291 Foster street.

Ernest J. Larochelle, 467 Merrimack street.

Thurlow MacBrayne, 6 Belmont street.

Gerard A. Paquin, 37 Arlington street.

Whitman Pearson, 69 Clitheroe street.

William H. Robertson, 470 Andover street.

Arnold J. Ryan, Jr., 90 D street.

Ernest Leavitt Spencer, 196 Shaw street.

Richard G. Welch, 70 Livingston avenue.

TEMPTING MENU AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

The excellent daily menus of nourishing and appetizing foods prepared and served to faculty and pupils at Lowell high school, are attracting more favorable attention and comment than ever.

Butterfly salad occupied the place of honor today on one of the most enticing recess and noon menu offerings ever enjoyed by Lowell high school boys and girls in the basement dining hall.

Delicious was no name for today's "Maybasket" of food of choicest quality and variety—amply provided for all comers in the most tempting fashion and thoroughly enjoyed by pupils and faculty, as all excellent menus always are in this ideal dining hall where the fraternity of the student world gather in mid-day quest for sustaining bodily nourishment.

Today's bill of fare, contained on blackboards with sliding card announcements in every section on every floor of the high school building, started with the recess luncheon. Note the variety of healthy, nourishing foods and the prices:

Recess luncheon: Vegetable soup, 5 cents. Beef steak pie, 10 cents. Butterfly salad, 10 cents. Fruit tapioca, 5 cents.

Noon menu: Fricassee of lamb, 18 cents. Sliced tomato, 5 cents. Apple pie, 5 cents.

And tomorrow the menu will be just as good or better, if possible. And the next day after tomorrow it will be better still, if possible, and so it goes. Visitors to the high school dining hall today read the menu cards with avidity and some surprise when they read the line offering "sliced tomato" for a mere nickel, a half-a-dime, five cents, a twentieth part of a dollar. Down Fenge street, just a few yards away, a fruit store window here a sign over a small pile of fresh red tomatoes, announcing "today's price per pound, 55 cents." Nary a school pupil calling for tomatoes at Lowell high school dining hall this noon had a right to object to the price—one nickel—for the "red ripe" ordered and joyfully swallowed, what think you, reader?

Strawberries have not yet appeared on the spring menus at the dining hall because of the price, for one reason, but more because southern berries do not always come to New England in the early spring in very good condition or flavor. The quality is steadily improving, but the prices on best berries are very high and strawberry delicacies will probably not be provided right away.

Only eight civil officers of the United States have been impeached and tried before the senate, and only two of them have been convicted.

SENATE FAVORS 8 IN 11 HOUR MEASURE

BOSTON, May 21.—By a rising vote of 16 to 9, the senate yesterday substituted a bill for an adverse report, allowing street railway employes to work eight hours in eleven, despite the charges that such action would drive many of the street railways outside of Boston out of business.

Senator Abbott B. Rice of Newton said the bill was one of the most drastic to come before the legislature and would probably put 12 to 15 railways out of existence. He said that the legislature should not pass on the question of hours of labor for street car employes any more than plumbers, carpenters and other laborers.

Senator John Halliwell, New Bedford speaking in favor of the substitution, said that in 28 states eight hours is a standard work day; that state, city and town employes have an eight-hour day; that instead of employing more men the roads can operate with less; that it is just as easy to operate a street railway with eight hours in eleven, as with nine hours in eleven; that a man working eight hours will only be paid for eight hours; and the bill does not place any additional burdens on the roads.

The motion of Senator Halliwell was then voted on, and substitution prevailed on a voice vote, and on a rising vote it was yes, 16 to 9. On a roll-call Senator Frothingham was the only one to rise. Senator Alvin E. Bliss of Malden gave notice that today he would offer an amendment giving the eight-hour day, but not within eleven or any given number of hours.

BOXER IN SERIOUS CONDITION

BOSTON, May 21.—Charles Quinn of Kansas City who was knocked out by A. Allegrini of Los Angeles in the 160-pound class of the national amateur boxing championships last night, was in a critical condition at a hospital today. He was said to be suffering from a concussion of the brain.

SUN BREVITIES

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Catering, the best. Lydon. Tel. 4934.

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Dress suits, tuxedoes and dress shirts to hire. Bertrand, 24 Middle st.

John J. O'Connell qualified as superintendent of charities before City Clerk Stephen Flynn at 11.30 o'clock this morning.

HURSTWOOD WINS NEWMARKET STAKES

NEWMARKET, England, May 21.—(By the Associated Press) Hurstwood, by Gay Crusader, out of Blensdale, owned by S. Tattersall, won the Newmarket stakes of £1000 which is considered a tryout for the Derby, run here today. H. H. Aga Kahn's Salmon-Trout was second and Lord Derby's Sansovino, third.

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School Hall for Old-time Dances. Lyceum Hall for Modern Dances. Redding's Jazz Band. O'Gara's Bagpipe Band. Concert at 8 o'clock. Checking Free. Tickets, 50c.

THE WEATHER

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MEMBERSHIP IN WORLD COURT

Senate Foreign Relations Committee Called to Consider Action on Proposals

Meeting Called at the Request of Sen. Swanson, Ranking Democratic Member

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The senate foreign relations committee was called today to consider for the first time at the present session of congress, action on the proposals for American membership in the world court.

The meeting, called at the request of Senator Swanson, of Virginia, ranking democratic member of the committee, was preceded by a lengthy White House conference last night at which President Coolidge reiterated to republican members his stand in favor of conditional membership in the permanent court of international justice set up by the League of Nations as recommended more than a year ago by President Harding.

The three world court plans pending before the committee, and a compromise proposal being worked out by Senator Pepper, republican, Pennsylvania, were considered at the White House conference, but no decision was reached in favor of any specific plan. The president is understood to have asserted, however, that the committee would attempt to agree upon a proposal in harmony with his views and designed to command the greatest possible support with a view to getting action, if possible, despite the legislative situation, at the present session of congress.

Chairman Lodge, who recently introduced a resolution contemplating establishment through a third Hague conference to be called by the president of a world court in no way connected with the League of Nations, declined to comment after the conference on the consideration given his plan, nor was any indication given of the trend of opinion with reference to the other proposals. The conference, it was said, was held chiefly to seek a way to put into effect the president's recommendations on the subject.

TO RECONSTRUCT HOME

Architects to Submit Plans for the Reconstruction of K. of C. Building

The firm of Colleary and Purcell, Inc., architects, has been invited by the building committee of Lowell Council, 88, Knights of Columbus, to submit plans for the reconstruction of the organization's former home in Dutton street, destroyed in the fatal conflagration of Sunday morning, April

WILLIAM P. COLLEARY

27. Already the firm has begun designs for the rebuilding of the Knights' home, and will present their plans for consideration in the near future.

The members of the Colleary-Purcell corporation are William P. Colleary of Boston, and William C. Purcell of this city. The latter is register of deeds for Middlesex county with offices in the Gorham street courthouse. While comparatively new in the architectural business, he is associated with a young, but experienced partner in Mr. Colleary, who achieved much local prominence in the recent erection of the new St. Patrick's rectory, which he designed.

This statement was given out today by the committee. Mr. Purcell could not be reached in reference to the matter.

AGREE ON TAX REDUCTION BILL

Unanimous Agreement Reached Today by Conferees on Tax Measure

Simons Democratic Income Rate Schedule Accepted—Amendments Rejected

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Unanimous agreement was reached today by the conferees on the tax reduction bill.

The Simmons democratic income rate schedule, providing for 40 per cent maximum surtax rate and a 50 per cent reduction in normal taxes on incomes under $8000, was accepted.

Senate amendments providing for full publicity of tax returns and a tax on undistributed corporation profits were rejected.

Hope was expressed by Senate republican organization leaders that the bill as now framed would meet the approval of President Coolidge, who has declared opposition both to the publicity and corporation proposals, which were eliminated.

The house provision for a 40 p. c. increase in existing state tax rates and for the imposition of a gift tax with rates similar to the estate tax rates, were accepted.

Senate democrats in yielding their proposal for a sub-corporation tax and full publicity of tax returns explained that they did so in expectation that the bill would not be objectionable to President Coolidge.

The treasury proposal to limit deductions on account of capital losses to 12½ per cent was restored to the bill by demand of house conferees. Secretary Mellon has estimated it would increase returns in revenue by $25,000,000 annually.

Chairman Smoot of the senate finance committee, estimated the bill went $100,000,000 below the treasury surplus available for tax reduction. This did not take into account the cost of the bonus bill, which it has been estimated will require an appropriation of $150,000,000 for the next fiscal year, or other pending measures, calling for special appropriations.

The provision for a 25 per cent reduction on earned incomes was retained but the senate amendment restricting the amount to which this cut could be applied to $10,000 was accepted.

A compromise was reached on a cut in the jewelry tax. All articles selling for $30 or less were exempted from the 5 per cent tax. The house had set this limit at $40, and the senate at $25.

Senate proposals to exempt produce and merchandise brokers from the brokers' tax and to restore the full levy on billiard and pool tables and bowling alleys were approved.

THIEVES ROB SAFE IN ICE CREAM PLANT

The ice cream manufacturing plant of H. P. Hood and Sons at 34 Meadowcroft street, was entered by a thief or thieves some time Monday night or early Tuesday morning, it became known today, and $700 in money was taken from a safe in the company's office. The responsible party has not been apprehended.

Entrance to the establishment was made by way of the main door. A key was used. The safe where the money was deposited was opened without violence, the combination evidently being familiar to the robbers. Employes of the company found the door of the safe opened yesterday morning and the deposit vault rifled.

CHARGES ACCOUNT USED AS "SLUSH FUND"

WASHINGTON, May 21.—An account maintained by former Chairman Charles E. Lobdell of the farm loan board in a local bank, was used "at times" as a "slush fund, Senator Howell, Nebraska, charged in the senate in continuing his opposition to confirmation of four pending nominations to the board.

Senator Howell explained that by a slush fund he meant "a fund used to grease the wheels so as to smooth things; a fund expended when you wanted to be generous with those who could be helpful to your objects."

"This fund was so used at times," he said. "I hold such action should be severely condemned when taken by any government instrumentality."

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, May 21.—Exchanges, $736,000,000; balances, $93,000,000.

BOSTON, May 21.—Exchanges, $65,000,000. Balances, $22,000,000.

Millerand and Poincare Worrying Over Fall of the Franc Resort of Extraordinary Course

CONFERENCE ON MENTAL HYGIENE

Much Interest Manifest in Meeting Held Last Night in Liberty Hall

First Mental Health Clinic to Be Held Here on Monday, May 26

Preliminary steps were taken last evening at the mental health conference held in Liberty hall for the formation in Lowell of a branch of the Massachusetts Society for Mental Hygiene, whose chief function is a campaign of public education in the ways and means of preventing mental disorders and to disseminate knowledge of where and how to secure early and effective treatment for them.

The conference was attended by about 400 interested men and women of Lowell and the general topic of "The Mental Health of the Child" was discussed by such well known authorities as Dr. Walter E. Fernald, superintendent of the Massachusetts School for Feeble Minded at Waverly; Hon. Herbert C. Parsons, deputy commissioner of the Massachusetts probation department; Dr. William A. Bryan, superintendent of the Worcester State hospital and Dr. George K. Pratt, medical director of the

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SEN. WHEELER WAS "FRAMED"

Justice Dept. Charged With "Framing" Wheeler and Spying on Senators

Witnesses Also Declare Famous Diaries of Means Spirited Away

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The senate Daugherty investigating committee was told today that representatives of the department of justice not only had sought to "frame Senator Wheeler," its prosecutor, but had spied on its members and its witnesses and had spirited away the famous diaries of Gaston B. Means, working with it as an investigator.

One of the witnesses was W. O. Duckstein, who said he knew about the whole proceeding because his wife is a secret agent of the department. It was she, he said, who identified in his presence the records of Means after they had been secured by a ruse.

Wire-Tapping Charged

Duckstein described an espionage system of great proportions which he said had been thrown about the committee's operations under the direction of H. C. Todd, special assistant to Attorney General Daugherty. He said the "crew of detectives" used in the case had come largely from New York, under the direction of two men named Pettit and O'Brien. Their activities included wire-tapping and many other methods of obtaining information

To "Railroad" Means

The purpose of the "crew" the witness declared, had been described by Pettit and O'Brien as including the "framing" of Senator Wheeler, who has been indicted in Montana, and the "railroading" of Gaston B. Means to the penitentiary. Another witness, R. P. Barrus, a special department of justice agent, testified that he and five assistants has constituted the force assigned to "shadow" Means.

Duckstein said it was Pettit and O'Brien who got the Means diaries which the famous detective had declared would substantiate his stories about money payments to Jess Smith. The two men, he said, called him and his wife out of their home at night, took them into an automobile and opened three suitcases full of "little black books" which Mrs. Duckstein identified as the diaries and files of Means.

MASSACHUSETTS TO SHUT DOWN

New Curtailment at Big Plant Effective Tomorrow Is Until June 1

Agent Read Intimates End of Next Week May See Order Changed

The Massachusetts cotton mills will tomorrow close down for the remainder of the month. The mills have been operating on a three and four-day week schedule for some time past. Agent Paul Read this afternoon confirmed a rumor circulated this morning that operatives had been told that operations will cease tomorrow night. He added that he feels there is every indication that the big gates will be reopened to workers on Monday, June 1.

The continued business depression and lack of orders requiring delivery were given as the reasons for the curtailment. The majority of the workers end their week tonight, but the shutdown will not be complete until tomorrow.

Mr. Read was asked if the shut-down meant changing over machines or any departures from present production textile lines. He said nothing of this nature is planned—that next week's shut-down of machinery was simply in line with the present custom of textile mills throughout the country, where heavy curtailments are the rule in many lines of textile goods manufacturing.

The Massachusetts has 5032 looms and 178,812 spindles and manufactures chiefly denims, flannelettes, blankets and chambrays when the textile cloth markets are normally active.

COLDEST MAY 21 IN MANY YEARS

SPRINGFIELD, May 21.—Today was the coldest May 21 recorded here in many years, with an official reading of 41 degrees early in the day. By way of contrast, the United States armory weather observatory reports that three years ago today the mercury reached a maximum of 92 degrees here.

NOTED AIRMAN KILLED

Capt. Lang, Former Holder of World's Altitude Record, Killed in Auto Accident

MELBOURNE, May 21.—(By the Associated Press.)—Capt. Andrew Lang, former holder of the world's airplane altitude record, was killed today when an automobile which he was driving, crashed into a fence during a dense fog. Lang was driving in a 24-hour test. He was a nephew of Andrew Lang, English author.

LOWELL AND HAVERHILL AT ALUMNI FIELD

Lowell high faced Haverhill in a return game at Alumni field this afternoon. In the previous meeting about a week ago, the down-river players put over a ninth inning win at the expense of the locals. The score was 2 to 1.

Henry Gibbons was Coach Liston's selection for mound duty today. Against Haverhill in the first encounter, he allowed but three hits and had his opponents at his mercy until the last half of the ninth. He was intent on evening up matters today.

Dr. L. W. Juan

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Usual Hours

HERRIOT AND PAINLEVE CALLED

Leaders of New Majority in Parliament Summoned to Conference in Paris

Agree Balancing of France's Budget Imperative Responsibility of Government

PARIS, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The fall of the franc is worrying President Millerand and Premier Poincare to such an extent that they resorted today to the extraordinary course of calling in Edouard Herriot and Paul Painleve, leaders of the new majority in the parliament, to confer with them on the subject as if the men consulted had already become members of the government.

M. Poincare and M. Francois Marsal, the minister of finance, explained that the credit of France was being impaired by doubt as to what course the new government would follow on financial questions. They gave it as their judgment that the leaders of the incoming parties should make clear what their financial policy would be. It is understood the visiting leaders were informed that the banking groups in New York and London which have been assisting the bank of France in maintaining the franc considered it necessary that such a statement be issued. Premier Poincare said he had consulted the leading financiers of Paris and that this was also their judgment.

MM. Herriot and Painleve are described as having said such an assurance would be in the nature of a ministerial declaration before the ministry was formed and without its having had the approval of parliament. They were willing, however, to go to the extent of saying that they regarded the balancing of France's budget as the imperative responsibility of any government.

The conference at the palace lasted nearly two hours. The greatest difficulty met was the phrasing of the declaration to the public which was finally issued in these terms:

"On the initiative of the president of the council a meeting was held at the Elysee in the office of the president of the republic. MM. Poincare and Francois-Marshal explained to MM. Herriot and Painleve the financial situation in detail. MM. Painleve and Herriot affirmed the conviction that a rigorous balancing of the budget is an imperative obligation on any government whatever."

LOWELL MAN NAMED

S. H. Thompson Vice President of Mass. State Chamber of Commerce

WORCESTER, May 21 The annual convention of the Massachusetts State Chamber of Commerce here today, was attended by about 100 delegates. President Edwin W. Smith of Westfield, presided.

These officers were elected at a meeting of the directors: President, Edwin W. Smith of Westfield, vice presidents, William S. Felton of Salem, Edward W. Longley of Boston, John C. Robinson of Springfield and Samuel H. Thompson of Lowell; treasurer, Charles E. Stanwood of Needham; general counsel, Frederick H. Hilton of Framingham; general secretary, Edward G. Stacy of Boston.

Governor Channing H. Cox and others will be the speakers at the banquet tonight.

20 P. C. REDUCTION IN HAVERHILL SHOE SHOPS

HAVERHILL, May 21.—A net reduction of 20 per cent, effective in all McKay factories is granted in decisions released today, by the Haverhill shoe board of arbitration. The decisions are the second important group rendered by the board in a general wage adjustment.

The wage differential in the McKay cutting and stitching departments is very similar to the awards made by the board governing turn shoe factories and are dependent on these previous awards.

The McKay business in the local shoe district represents about 25 per cent. of the total business, and second to turn shoe production.

The wage readjustment is now nearly complete. Certain readjustments involving welt prices are still to be considered but the number of firms producing welts is small and the adjustment will be considered with reference to individual plants.

The prices in the McKay factories announced today become operative at the beginning of the next payroll week.

FEDERAL AGENTS MAKE BIG HAUL IN WOODS NEAR BILLERICA

Arrest Two Chelsea Men and Seize Truckloads of Moonshine, Mash, Sugar, Yeast and Other Supplies and Paraphernalia—Sullivan Leads Raiding Party

Federal enforcement officers early this morning made the biggest moonshine capture ever pulled off in this vicinity when they raided an illicit liquor plant hidden deep in the Bedford woods near the Billerica line and arrested Isaac Katz and Nathan Simon, both of Chelsea and confiscated stills, moonshine, mash, sugar, yeast and other paraphernalia used in the manufacture of liquor.

Simon and Katz were taken before U. S. Commissioner Richard R. Walsh at the Gorham street courthouse at 11 o'clock and after pleading guilty were committed to the East Cambridge jail, there to await bail in the amount of $1000 each to secure their appearance before the United States district court. Both men said they did not own the plant, but had been hired by an unknown man last Monday to "work it" for $35 a week each. Both men have been before the courts before on illegal liquor charges.

The raid was made at 7 a. m. today by Federal Officers Walter Sullivan, assisted by Officers John Hall, Bowditch, McCobury, Snapley and Wiley. Officers Sullivan and Hall had watched the plant throughout the night and early in the morning sent in a call for reinforcements and the seizure followed.

The plant was housed in a specially constructed shack, 100 feet long and 50 feet wide. Within were found two 200-gallon stills in operation, a 50-horsepower gasoline engine, pumps, 300 gallons of "shine," 4000 gallons of mash, one ton of sugar, 100 pounds of yeast, 50 gallons of kerosene and pipe and hose which carried water from nearby brooks.

Early this afternoon Officer Sullivan engaged two 5-ton trucks and sent them to Billerica to haul away the stuff seized.

MEDALS PRESENTED AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

At a general assembly of all classes of the high school this morning, in Cyrus W. Irish auditorium, Miss Beatrice Gravel was presented a silver

MISS BEATRICE GRAVEL

medal by Headmaster Harris, on behalf of the Gregg Shorthand company, as the most accurate writer of shorthand in the school. Bronze medals donated by the same company were presented Miss Mary Hogan, as sec-

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BALLOT FOR BISHOPS

Rev. Ralph A. Ward of Foochow Delegation Leads in First Ballot

SPRINGFIELD, May 21.—The Rev. Ralph A. Ward of the Foochow delegation, associate secretary of the China board of foreign missions of the Methodist Episcopal church, led in the first ballot for bishops, announced at the Methodist General Conference session here today. No man gained the two-thirds vote necessary for election. Dr Ward received 319 votes.

Declaring that they preferred the work of the pastorate to the Episcopal office, the Rev. Merton S. Rice of Detroit, Rev. Merle S. Smith of Pasadena, Cal., and Rev. David D. Forsyth of Colorado, second, third and fifth on the list respectively, withdrew their names on announcement of the ballot.

The first ten on the list received votes as follows: Ralph A. Ward, 319; Merton S. Rice, 288, Merlon Smith, 267, E. Stanley Jones, 212, David Forsyth, 204; Titus L. Lowe, 161, E. J. Wade, 153, G. A. Miller, 145, J. M. Gray, 134, John Thompson, 132

BAD WEATHER HALTS FLYERS

American Army Aviators Flying Around World Delayed at Hittokappu Bay

Will Not Make Next Hop Until Foggy Weather Clears—Storm Reported

TOKIO, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The American army aviators flying around the world, are being delayed at Hittokappu bay, island of Yotorofu, in the Kuriles, by bad weather.

An official despatch to the Japanese navy department, sent from a Japanese destroyer on duty with the flyers at 11 a. m. today said that the Americans were waiting until the foggy weather clears.

Both the embassy and the Tokio central observatory sent warnings to the flyers to expect bad weather today and Thursday. Storms are reported all along the eastern and northeastern coast of Japan.

The start of the Americans for Minato in northern Japan, their next scheduled stop now is tentatively set for Thursday, the Japanese despatch said, but in view of the bad weather, it is possible their departure may be delayed even more.

British Flyers at Akyab

SHANGHAI, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—A. Stuart Maclaren, British aviator, flying around the world, arrived at Akyab, Burma, today from Calcutta, said a despatch from the former point received here tonight.

LOWELL MAN DEFAULTED IN SUPERIOR COURT

John Sinaelakis was ordered defaulted in superior court in East Cambridge today when he failed to appear answer to a charge of arson in connection with a fire in the store of James Stroglcas in Middlesex street, several months ago. Stroglcas, charged with being an accessory was continued until next Monday, and a capias issued for the re-arrest of Sinaelakis. The Lowell police department was represented in court this morning by Capt. David Petrie and Officers Walter Nickles and John F. Lynch

PUBLIC BEQUESTS IN WILL OF T. HATHAWAY

NEW BEDFORD, May 21.—The sum of $200,000 is bequeathed to St. Luke's hospital of this city in the will of Thomas S. Hathaway, filed today. Other bequests include $25,000 to the Y. M. C. A., $10,000 to the Day Nursery, and $10,000 to Grace church for care of the organ. The money left to St. Luke's is to be used first for the purpose of paying up any indebtedness, and then in any manner the trustees deem fit.

Several legacies of $5000 each are left to relatives and friends, the residue of the estate going to his brother, Horatio Hathaway of Dedham.

WASHINGTON, May 21. The Boston & Maine Railroad Co. today asked permission of the Interstate Commerce commission to abandon its four mile line from Old Orchard to Camp Ellis, Me.

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Toy Shop—Basement

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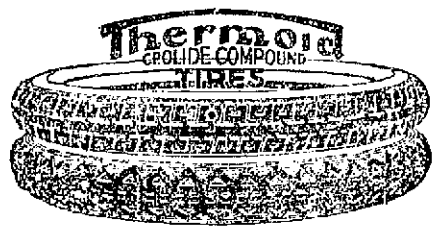

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31x4	$14.75	33x4½	$20.50
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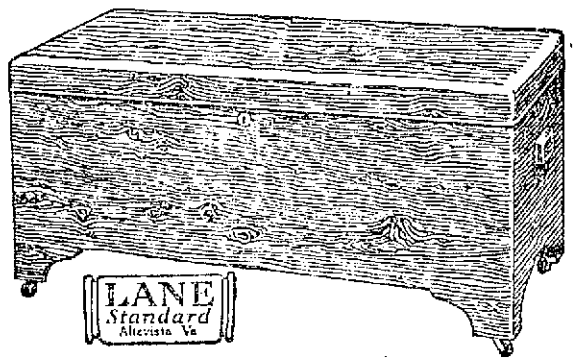
33x4	$15.75	33x5	$26.25
35x5	$28.00		

Kirk Street Entrance



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Red Cedar Chests

Guaranteed Moth and Dust Proof

The long drawn-out cold weather this spring has retarded house cleaning about a month. Now we will have to satisfy the demands of the housewife, the "Sweet Girl Graduate" oand the "June Bride" at very nearly the same time. CEDAR CHESTS make useful gifts for the girl graduate or June bride. We advise making your selection now when our line is complete. A small deposit will hold your chest until wanted. Priced—

$15.00 to $40.00

JAPANESE RICE MATTING BOXES

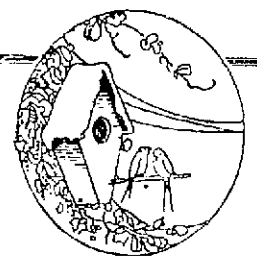
Made with bamboo trimmings, brass hinges and trays.

36 inch size..... $10.50
48 inch size $12.00

ELECTRIC FLOOR LAMPS

Gorgeous Floor Lamps, in a generous selection, await your choice. They make splendid gifts, and you can select from this grouping, knowing that the one you choose will be perfectly right in every way—Wonderful color combinations.

The Third Floor—Drapery Shop



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WHAT does it matter if it isn't always Spring outdoors when you can bring the brightness and beauty of that happy season into your home at any time by redecorating with wallpaper?

There are patterns and colorings for your personality and for every room in your home, exquisite new designs at very moderate prices.

We offer you not only a wide choice in wallpapers but the careful work of skilled artisans to hang the paper you decide upon.

Come in and look over our stock. We will be glad to show it to you.

Wall Paper Dept.
Daylight Floor

Lamps

For the Table

In metal with glass and hand painted Glass Shades

LAMPS with pottery, mahogany or polychrome bases.

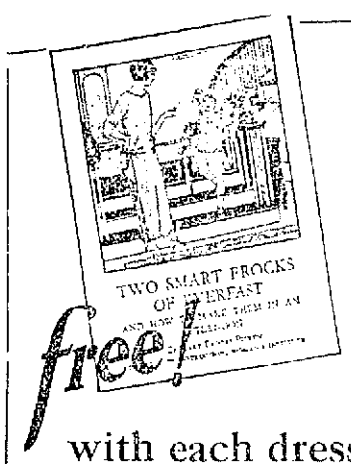
SILK SHADES, all popular colors, and like the lamps, they may be bought at very reasonable prices.

A lamp is a most pleasing gift for the bride.

Special values in large size Gas or Electric Lamps.

$10

Lamp and China Shop
Third Floor



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EVERFAST GUARANTEE

We guarantee that, if for any reason any Everfast Wash Fabric fades, we will refund not only the purchase price per yard, but the cost of making the garment as well.

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The GENUINE Everfast Wash Fabrics

THIS attractive booklet is given away free with each purchase of a dress length of Everfast. It contains complete instructions for making two smart summer frocks, with suggestions for varying them in many charming ways. They were designed by Mary Brooks Picken, Director of Instruction of the Woman's Institute, and are delightfully easy to make. Even a novice can make both these dresses in an afternoon. Come in and see our stock of Everfast Wash Fabrics. All colors guaranteed fast, regardless of how they are washed. *They can even be boiled.*

Wash Goods Dept.—Street Floor

THURSDAY SPECIALS

DRUG AND TOILET GOODS DEPT.
Street Floor

5 Tubes Kolynos Tooth Paste..... $1.00
17c Pear's Unscented Soap... 4 for 50c
59c Absorbent Cotton, 1 lb. pkg. 44c
35c Elanel Cocoanut Oil Shampoo... 29c

DRAPERY DEPT.
Third Floor

Panel Curtains, Marquisette with Italian pattern filet lace insertions, trimmed with wide lace at the bottom; regular prices $3.50 and $3.98. Thursday Special, pair $1.98

7-Pair Lot—Lace Panels, with bottom fringe; regular price $2.50. Thursday Morning Special at $1.50

Panel Curtains, Marquisette or Voile, hand drawn with lace insertion, trimmed with heavy bullion fringe; regular prices $5.50 to $7.50 the pair. Thursday Morning..... $3.00
(The above panels sold in pairs only)

Nottingham Lace Curtains, 2½ yards long, white only; regularly $3.50 pair. Thursday Morning $1.00

Plisse Cloth, suitable for the new Dolly Madison Bed Spreads, 72 inches wide, in blue or rose stripes, also for French shades, in bed-room or sun parlor; regular $1.98 values. Thursday Morning, per yard $1.25

SHOE DEPT.
Street Floor

Women's Shoes, broken lots of Queen Quality and Boston Favorite brands, Oxfords and Pumps, with low heels, suitable for girls or women who wear low heels; values to $7.50. Special Thursday Morning Only $1.00

GLOVE SHOP
Street Floor

16-Button Silk Gloves, in gray, beaver, mode; regular price $2.00. Thursday Morning $1.50

WASH GOODS DEPT.
Street Floor

Printed Voiles, in good assortment of both light and dark grounds. Special Thursday Morning, yard..... 29c

DOMESTIC DEPT.
Street Floor

"Fruit of the Loom" Pillow Slips, 42x36 each 29c

LINEN SHOP
Street Floor

All Madeira Work at..... Half Price

DRESS GOODS SHOP
Street Floor

Baronet Satin, 5 colors and white; regularly $1.98. Thursday Morning, per yard $1.39

NECKWEAR DEPT.
Street Floor

Collars and Collar and Cuff Sets: regular prices 50c and $1.00. Thursday Morning Special, each 25c

TRIMMINGS
Street Floor

Bandings, lace and embroidered; regularly $1.00 and $1.50. Special Thursday Morning, yard 25c

BOYS' SHOP
Street Floor

Large Boys' Penrod Top Coats, fine tweeds, polos, sizes 6 to 14; values $11.95, $14.95. Thursday Morning Special at $9.95

Boys' Caps, fine tweeds and polos, 6 3-8 and 6 3-4 sizes; values at $1.45. Thursday Morning at 95c

Blue Serge 2-Pants Suits, sizes 8-9 only, extra good weight; $11.95 values. Thursday Morning $9.95

Fine Penrod Sailor Suits, fine checks, cashmeres and tweeds, sizes 2½ to 6; values from $7.50 to $11.95. Thursday Morning Special $5.95

Penrod Blue Serge Eaton Suits, sizes 4, 5, 10 only; big values at $9.75. Thursday Morning at $7.95

BOOK CORNER
Street Floor

Standard Classics and Popular Fiction, a table full at ..... Half Price

MEN'S SHOP
Street Floor

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; 50c values. Thursday Morning Specials, at..... 35c, 3 for $1.00

Men's Athletic Plain and Striped Voile Union Suits; $1.00 values, all sizes; Thursday Morning Special, at.... 69c

Men's Striped Madras Shirts; values at $1.50. Thursday Morning Only, at 89c

KNIT UNDERWEAR SHOP
Street Floor

Women's Summer Weight Vests, fine cotton and lisle, bodice style, in all sizes; regularly 59c. Thursday Morning at 39c

Silk Underwear Sale All This Week— Pure Silk Vests, Bloomers and Step-ins, at sensational savings.

NOTION DEPT.
Street Floor

10c Colored Enameled Dress Hangers, 4 for 29c

10c Collar Bands, small sizes only. To close out 5c

69c Tussah White Silk Linings, short waisted 49c

79c Guaranteed Moth-proof Bags. Special 49c

HOSIERY SHOP
Street Floor

Children's Fine Cotton Hose, black, Richelieu rib, sizes 6 to 9½; regularly 35c. Thursday Morning 19c, 2 pairs for 35c

Women's White Lisle Hose, regular and outsizes, full fashioned; regular prices $1 and $1.25. Thursday Morning Special at..... 69c, 2 pairs for $1.25

Women's Sport Rib Lisle Hose, in black and colors; regularly 50c. Thursday Morning..... 39c, 2 pairs for 75c

HOME EQUIPMENT DEPT.
Basement

Beauty Wall Dryers, 8 hardwood arms, adjustable; regularly $1.25. Thursday Morning 98c

Towel Bars, nickle plated on brass; special values at 49c. Thursday Morning Only at 29c

GROCETERIA
Basement

Snider's Spaghetti..... 2 for 25c
T. & K. Formosa Oolong Tea, ½ lb. 35c
Woodcock Macaroni, pkg. 20c

SILVER AND GLASS SHOP
Third Floor

Water Glasses, plain; regularly 50c a dozen. Thursday Morning, doz. 35c

6-Inch Relish Dish, Poinsettia cutting; regular 49c value. Thursday Morning. 19c

MILLINERY SALON
Second Floor

Twenty-five Hats taken from stock, all new, trimmed and tailored, a few sailors, black and colors. While they last, Thursday Morning $2.00

JEWELRY DEPT.
Street Floor

Beads—Colored bead necklaces, graduated style, one size bead with rondells, big variety of colors and shapes; regular $1.00 values. Thursday Morning Special at 79c

Ear Drops Drop Earrings for unpierced ears, pendant and hoops, all colors; regular 59c values. Thursday Morning at 29c

Bracelets, bangle and flexible style, some set with fine cut stones, all sizes; regular 59c. Thursday Morning ... 45c

KNITTED WEAR
Second Floor

White Sweaters, round and V necks, long sleeves. Very special at $1.00

Knitted Suits, in a big variety of colors; regular $10 values. Special at $4.98

KIDDIES' AND GROWING GIRLS' SHOP
Third Floor

Little Tots' Gingham and Chambray Panty Dresses. Special for Thursday Morning at 89c

Lingette Rompers—1-piece style, sizes 1 and 2 only; regular $3.00 values. Thursday Morning Special 98c

Decorated Metal

WASTE BASKETS

Original New Designs and Decorations. Gold Color Linings.

Their beautiful baked enamel finish make them sanitary and easy to clean. In rose, with black medallion, white with turquoise decoration; yellow with black silhouette; and maroon with gray conventional design.

Unusually Pretty Baskets at an unusually low price, each **69c**

Another Special—White Enamel Drinking Cups 1 pint size, extra heavy coating, usually sold for 10c. Extra Special..... 25c

Home Equipment Section—Basement

Thursday Ready-to-Wear Specials!

Misses' Silk Dresses

25 of Them---
All New This Season---

Were $18.00 to $25.00.

Special Thurs. A. M.

$10

A Bargain---
That Is All.

Misses' Tweed Suits

Sizes 14 to 20

Good Mixtures Sport Suit---

Were $25.00 Reduced to $15.00, and Now for

Thursday Morning Only

They Are to Be Sold at

$7.98

About 25 Suits
Big Assortment of Patterns

Second Floor

CHARLES A. COTE DEAD

Well Known Citizen Died Last Night at His Home in Coral Street

Charles A. Cote, Jr., a well-known resident of this city and proprietor of the Cote Auto Livery in Paige street, died last night at his home, 52 Coral street, aged 35 years. Mr. Cote had been suffering from an illness for some time but was able to be about until only a few days ago.

Mr. Cote started in the auto livery business slightly more than 11 years ago and for many years had his headquarters in John street. A short time ago he purchased the holdings of the Lowell Taxi Company in Paige street and since then red mare the latter place his office.

He was a member of the C.M.A.C., Lowell lodge, B.P.O. Elks, Lowell Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and the Washington club. In addition to his many friends in fraternal organizations, he will be mourned by a host of friends and acquaintances throughout the city.

Besides his wife, Eugenie (Langlois) Cote, he leaves three daughters, Irene, Gertrude and Lillian Cote; his father, Charles A. Cote, Sr., and a brother, William Cote, all of this city.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BURNS—Died in this city, May 20th, at St. John's hospital, Thomas J. Burns. The funeral will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 201 West Sixth st., and there will be a solemn high funeral mass at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The arrangements are in charge of Funeral Directors James W. McKenna Sons.

CONNORS—Died in this city, May 21, at her home, 25 Nesmith street, Mrs. Honora Connors. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from the home, 25 Nesmith street. Solemn high funeral mass will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

COTE—Died in this city, May 20th, at 52 Coral street, Charles A. Cote, Jr., aged 35 years. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the home, 52 Coral st. A solemn high funeral mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at Notre Dame de Lourdes' church. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. Undertakers Amedee Archambault and Sons in charge.

DEATHS

CONNORS—Mrs. Honora Connors, a well known resident of the Immaculate Conception parish, died early this morning at her home, 25 Nesmith street, after a long illness. She leaves two daughters, the Misses Mary and Annie Connors and three sons, Jeremiah, with D. T. Sullivan, coal dealer, Joseph H., an instructor in the Boston public schools; and Edward J. Connors, the latter the well known traffic supervisor of the police department.

McELMAN—Charles McElman died Monday evening in Clifton, Mass., at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. C. Crochet. The body will be brought to Lowell and burial will be in the Edson cemetery at 4 o'clock.

MASSES—Died at the Children's hospital Boston, yesterday afternoon, Athera Masses, beloved child of Mike and Ellen Masses. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers N. Bilodeau and Sons.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Knitting Room of the Shaw Stocking Co., and all those who by their many acts of kindness, floral and spiritual bouquets, helped to lighten the sorrow in the death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Hannah Blake.

MR. and MRS. PATRICK DUNLAY.

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LOWELL, MASS.

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for which women who like to sew have been waiting. Now is the time to plan for all the frocks, blouses, etc. you will need for the season, and choose the fabrics from the greatest selections at the lowest prices in years—here. HAVE TWO OR THREE FROCKS FOR THE USUAL PRICE OF ONE!

36 INCH ALL SILK SATIN CHARMEUSE
High standard grade, in a rich jet black, at an astounding low price for Thursday Morning. Yard.... 98c

36 INCH ALL SILK TAFFETA
New, crisp quality, in black only. Another sensational value for Thursday Morning Yard 97c

54 INCH ALL WOOL BASKET WEAVE
For sports dresses, skirts, etc., in tan and gray. Thursday Morning at a most radical reduction. Yard..... $1.39

MALETA SILK CREPE
36 inches wide. A knitted material favored for dresses, etc., wanted colors. Yard..... $1.10

40 INCH ALL SILK FLAT CREPE
A fashionable silk of exquisite quality, in a good assortment of colors. Thursday Morning Only—Yard $1.69

SILK TRICOSHAM (knitted alpaca)
44 inches. A new material of jersey weave; beautiful finish; splendid weight for dresses and other uses; wanted colors. Yard 1.89

DOWN STAIRS

SASH CURTAINS
Large size, made of good quality muslin. Pair 35c

KALBURNIE GINGHAMS
A wide range of checks and plaids in this splendid quality; fast colors. Yard 20c

PRE-SHRUNK DRESS LINEN
36 inches wide; all pure linen of Irish and Belgian makes; an excellent selection of colors. Yard..... 69c

NAINSOOK
Soft quality; while it lasts Thursday Morning, in white and pink. Yard 12½c

CRETONNE
25c quality; pretty designs and colorings. Yard 18c

OIL CLOTH TABLE COVERS
Large size, 54x54; dull, embossed finish, in blue, green and wine designs. Each 58c

FUNERALS

DESILETS—The funeral of Emile G. Desilets took place this morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 36 Beech street. A solemn high funeral mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Louis de France church by Rev. J. B. Laboissiere, assisted by Rev. F. X. Gauthier as deacon and by Rev. F. X. Tanguay as sub-deacon. The church choir, under the direction of Oller J. David, rendered Yon's mass. At the offertory the choir sang "Domine Jesu Christe"; at the elevation Rosewig's "O Meritum Passionis" was sung by Mrs. Louise H. Chalifoux, and at the end of the mass Mrs. Amanda David sang "Les Dernieres paroles d'un pere." The other solos of the mass were sustained by Etienne Bernier, J. B. Boulhillette, Mrs. Blanche Pednault and Mr. David. Miss Alma Soulard was the organist. The bearers were Henry Denault, Nazaire Denault, Auguste Onellette, Joseph Lantagne, Octave LaBracque and Eloie Breault. Succursalle St. Joseph, A.C.F., was represented by the following delegation: Joseph Leblanc, Antonio Fournier, Frederick Lesieur and Hyppolite Duchesne. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery and the arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault and Sons.

COUGHLIN—The funeral of Mrs. Mary O'Connor Coughlin, widow of John Coughlin, an old and respected resident took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where, at 9 o'clock, a mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. William Dacey of the cathedral, Boston. The choir, under the direction of Miss Sarah Murray, rendered the Gregorian chant. The solos were by Miss Frances Tighe and Mr. Timothy Finnegan, Miss Murray presiding at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Charles Gannon, Thomas Dalton, Thomas Dalton, Jr., William Doyle, John Dalton and William King. There was a profusion of floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Joseph A. Curtin. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Jas. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BOYLE—The funeral of Peter Boyle, for many years a resident of Lowell and well known in the Centralville district, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated by Very Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O.M.I. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Charles P. Smith, rendered the Gregorian chant; the solos in the mass being sustained by Mrs. Hugh Walker and Mr. Smith, Mrs. Walker also presiding at the organ. The bearers were Paul L. Foye, Frank Dooley, Peter Dooley, Frank Howell, Gerald J. Duffy and Thomas F. Duffy. There were many floral and spiritual offerings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SHAUGHNESSY—The funeral of John F. Shaughnessy took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 26 Mason avenue, North Billerica, and was largely attended, among whom were the following from out of town: Anthony, James, Cecilia, Elizabeth, Margaret Shaughnessy, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. James Shaughnessy, John Shaughnessy, William Shaughnessy, all of Manchester, N. H.; Mrs. Martin, Mrs. McNeil, Frederick Martin, Bessie McNeil, Newman Martin, Mrs. Edward Martin, Mrs. Matthew Martin, Walter Martin, Mrs. Leslie Gove, all of Worcester. The cortege proceeded to St. Andrew's church, where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. John W. Cunningham. The choir under the direction of Miss Etta Hoar, rendered the Gregorian chant, the solos in the mass being sustained by Mrs. Esther Hannon and Mr. James Gannon, Miss Hoar presiding at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Matthew and Edward Martin of Worcester, nephews of the deceased; Howard T. Conway, Bernard McCabe, James Clancy and Leslie Gove. Present representing the Loyal Order of Moose were William T. Harvey, James W. Gagnon, Louis Brouillette and James Brady. From the Holy Name society were Past President Timothy J. Donohue and Edward McMillan. There were many floral and spiritual offerings. The burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Fr. Cunningham. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MASS NOTICE

QUINN—There will be a high mass of requiem for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Annie Quinn Thursday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Michael's church.

The first rubber road was laid in London in 1913 and is still in good condition.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many kind friends and neighbors, we take this means of expressing our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness, and words of condolences extended to us in the loss of our beloved father and husband and also to those who sent floral tributes and spiritual bouquets, including the finishing room of the Merrimack Woolen Co. Also the expressmen of the Middlesex street stand. To all we are deeply grateful and their kindness shall never be forgotten.

MRS. RICHARD E. HERITY AND FAMILY.

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E. MAJOR AND FAMILY.

Implements made by man more than 22,000 years old have been found in France.

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Wool Crepe SKIRTS
Fine quality—knife and panel pleated—cut full—well made—grey, tan, navy, black and all colors. All sizes. $3.79

Sleeveless SWEATERS
Those new jacquette effects—novelty knit weaves—all colors and combinations. All sizes. $1.29

THURSDAY SPECIALS!

96 GIRLS' COATS
Stylish models in fine polaire and camelaire, plain colors, plaids, checks. Novelty collars and pockets, full lined, well made. Sizes 6 to 16 years. $4.49
Third Floor

MIDDIES AND SKIRTS
For High School Field Day—Fine quality white jean, approved by authorities. All sizes. They'll go fast at 97c
Third Floor

174 PRETTY HATS
Stylish hats in fine straws and novelty silk materials, beautiful trimmings. All the new colors. They are wonderful at $1.00
Second Floor

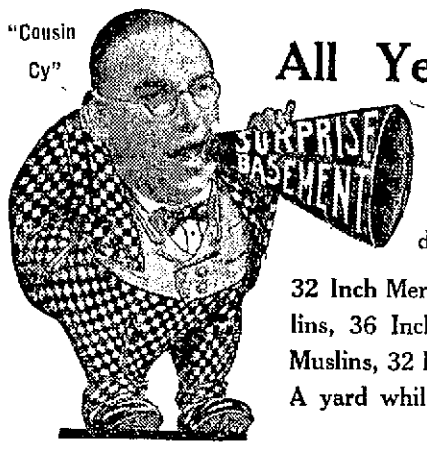
107 NEW COATS
DRESSY COATS—SPORT COATS
Never before and never again will such wonderful coats be offered to you at $14.85
Styles that are distinctive. Materials are Polret Twills, Verzella, Velatone, Hi-Low, Camelaire, Downy Wool, Novelty Plaids. Every coat fully lined. See the new shades. All sizes.

124 SILK DRESSES
One glance at these handsome dresses will convince you that they are super values at $12.50
New Summer Silks, Pussy Silk Stripes, Canton Crepes, Foulards. All the new colors, and the styles will delight you. Sizes 16 to 20 and 36 to 46. Mostly one of a kind, and so pretty—You'll want at least two of them, at $12.50

300 NEW SILK BLOUSES
Just arrived—pretty blouses in crepe de chine, roshanara crepe, crepe knit, silk prints, effectively trimmed—All the new colors. SIZES 36 to 46.
$2.19
Street Floor

165 FINE UMBRELLAS
Novelty handles, well made, good quality, ivory rings and leather straps on handles. You know how fast the last lot went—Well these are even better, so get here early. 99c

200 PRETTY SILK SCARFS
Fine crepe de chine and novelty silks, long and wide, plain colors, polka dots, Chinese effects, batik designs, many with monograms. While they last, 94c



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A Wonderful Cotton Goods Sale

Choice of the following Fabrics that are valued at double this sale price and more—

32 Inch Mercerized Pongee, all colors, Double Ply Mercerized Poplins, 36 Inch Extra Heavy Cretonnes, Hill, Fruit, Lonsdale, Pride Muslins, 32 Inch Best Dress Ginghams, 40 Inch Fine Fancy Voiles—A yard while it lasts 19c

BUNGALOW APRONS
Just Arrived
Made up of Standard Ginghams, Linenes and Percales. Included are extra sizes, well made and nicely trimmed. Not more than 2 to 1 customer, at 69c

TURKISH TOWELS
In pink, blue and gold stripes, size 36x18, a good weight Turkish Bath Towel. You can buy two for the price of one in our Surprise Basement. 19c

Full Lined High Grade Sport Coats
FOR THE EARLY SHOPPER
We have only 47 of these fine coats. Sizes 36 to 44, in grey or tan, lined throughout. Finest materials. Come early or you will miss these at..... $7.69

FRENCH CREPE
Silk Stripes and Checks, 36 inches wide.
These beautiful Dress Crepes come in all shades. Their regular selling price is just double what we ask for it in our Surprise Basement, per yard. 79c

CREPE DE CHINE
40 Inches Wide, Pure Silk
Here is a Wonder Silk Value, all colors, heavy weight. This silk crepe de chine is worth a lot more money. Our Surprise Basement offers it to you at $1.17

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS
Dandy Lisle Union Suits with fancy lace tops, 36 to 44. Surprise Basement Price 21c

BATH RUGS
Extra heavy large size Bath Rugs with pink, gold, blue or white borders. This is half price. 69c

36 INCH MARQUISETTE
These are mill ends of White Curtain Marquisette with twice this price and more, yard 9c

TABLE DAMASK
Full 58 inches wide, Mercerized Table Damask, good heavy weight, in 5 pretty patterns, yard 29c

DRESS GINGHAMS
In checks, stripes, plaids and plain colors; a standard grade of Dress Gingham that washes well, yard 14½c

36 INCH LONGCLOTH
English Chamois Finished Longcloth, lengths 1½ to 10 yards. You would gladly pay twice as much for it. Surprise Basement Price, yard 11c

3-Hour Bargain Feast
THURSDAY, 9 a.m. to 12 noon
at Lemkin's 8th Semi-Annual
PUBLIC SALE

FUR CHOCKERS $2.65 Value $6.75

289 Coats Values $15.00 to $18.50 Choice Thursday Only $8.65

DRESSES 110 DRESSES Sizes 14 to 40. Choice $8.95

ALL HIGHER PRICED GARMENTS AT COST

We are going to crowd these three hours into one whole day's business by giving the women of Lowell and vicinity a lifetime feast that they will long remember. If you value your dollars—be here Thursday morning. Remember—the above prices are for tomorrow morning only. No store in New England can duplicate these bargains.

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CLOAK AND SUIT STORE
228 MERRIMACK ST. OPP. ST. ANNE'S CHURCH

WAR ON BOOTLEGGERS

Funeral of Man Slain in Fight With Rum Runners Conducted by K. K. K.

Residents of Suffolk County, L. I., Pledged to War Against Bootleggers

NEW YORK, May 21.—Many residents of Suffolk county, Long Island, virtually were pledged today to "war" against bootleggers and liquor runners after such action was urged at the funeral of Ferdinand J. Downs of Southampton, slain in a fight while hunting liquor carriers last Friday.

At the funeral of Downs, which took place yesterday under the direction of the Ku Klux Klan, more than 5000 persons assented when the four ministers present spoke the pledge to carry on the fight which cost Downs his life.

Two of the ministers were in klan regalia, as were 200 of the 5000 klansmen there. But both ministers and klansmen kept their faces bared and did not use masks.

SIDETRACK McNARY-HAUGEN BILL

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Discussion of the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill was sidetracked in the house today by an agreement for consideration of miscellaneous measures. The debate will be resumed tomorrow under the program, accepted late yesterday allowing 15 hours for general discussion, and calling for day and night sessions in an effort to get action by Saturday night or early next week, despite the delay yesterday in making a start.

Men!

THURSDAY Morning Only

FINAL CLEAN-UP OF $3 and $4 IMPERFECT

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Girl's Breach-of-Contract Action May Change Divorce Procedure

MRS. JOSEPHINE GERTRUDE LAW SCOTT AND HER COUNSEL, JUDGE OCIE SPEER

BY ELMER ROESSNER,
N.E.A. Service Writer

FORT WORTH, Texas, May 21.—A quarrel between a "big baby boy" and a big beautiful girl may revolutionize divorce proceedings in the United States.

Winfield Scott, Jr., a 22-year-old millionaire, filed suit for divorce against Josephine Gertrude Law Scott. Did she file counter suit? She did not!

She sued Scott for breach of contract, asking $100,000 damages.

Her attorneys contend marriage is a civil contract and breaking the contract makes it invalid, holding the violator of the contract responsible for damages.

Finish Fight

They hold Scott violated his contract to love, cherish and protect. Therefore, they assert, his wife is entitled to damages just as a contractor may be when a lumberman fails to deliver his materials.

If the United States supreme court upholds Mrs. Scott's contention (and both sides declare they will carry it that far), legal authorities, who have studied the case, declare this is what may happen:

1. Divorce suits will be unnecessary. Wives will prefer to sue for breach of contract because they can collect damages in a lump sum instead of chancing alimony.

2. All present grounds for divorce will be unnecessary. It only will be necessary to prove the marriage agreement has been broken.

3. Divorce through breach of contract suits will be possible in every state, as the contract laws are basically the same.

4. It will be possible to remarry immediately after a breach of contract separation.

Only One Precedent

The Scott experiment has only one precedent. That case was filed in Texas, too.

Mrs. Emma Lee Gowin sued Jesse C. Gowin. She was awarded $1000. An appeal was taken, but there the case rests. But because of the much larger amount involved, it is expected the Scott case will be pushed as the test case.

The legal background was prepared by Ocie Speer, former chief justice of the Texas appellate court.

Scott, an only son of a wealthy Texas cattleman, married after a dynamic courtship in Kansas City. The wedding was decided upon at 11 p. m. and at midnight a justice of the peace performed the ceremony in their hotel room.

The match followed close upon Scott's ardent attentions to Peggy Joyce Hopkins. Scott never saw Miss Hopkins, but he sent many presents to her during a visit to New York. His banker intervened and brought Scott home.

In Automobile Business

"My boy is so misunderstood," his mother declares. "When he was a baby, we thought he would not live long. Many times I carried him on a pillow, fearing every breath would be his last.

"Naturally, when he grew up we gave him everything he wanted. He is just a happy go-lucky boy."

Scott came into a large share of a $5,000,000 estate when his father died. Upon his maturity he entered the automobile sales business because he liked to ride in automobiles.

He charged his wife with drinking, smoking and using bad language.

"The nerve!" she said. "I made a man out of him in four months."

RETURNED TO OWNER

While walking in Perry street last evening, James Covey found an envelope which bore the stamp, "Mother's Aid" in the corner and contained $22.50. He reported his discovery to the police, who soon learned the identity of the owner and returned the envelope to her.

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM

Spanish-American War Veterans Receive General Orders—Exercises Outlined

Lowell veterans of the Spanish-American war have received official general orders covering the program of observance of Memorial day. The Memorial committee of Gen. Adelbert Ames camp 19, U.S.W.V., has completed all arrangements for the exercises to be held in this city in memory of dead veterans of the war of 1898. Commander John F. McBride of Camp 19, has issued the following official orders:

The graves of all comrades in the various cemeteries of Lowell will be decorated in the afternoon of Saturday, May 24, by the Memorial day committee. All comrades who wish to volunteer their assistance will report to Senior Vice-Commander I. E. Parks, chairman of the Memorial day committee, at St. Patrick's cemetery, at 1.30 p.m.

Comrades will report at the new quarters, Memorial Auditorium, on Sunday, May 25, at 10 a.m., and march in a body to St. Paul's M.E. church, Hurd street, to attend memorial services. In the afternoon, the comrades will reassemble at Memorial hall at 2.15 p.m., to participate with the G.A.R. in the Memorial services at the First Congregational church.

All comrades are urged to take part in the parade to the cemeteries. American Legion post and Disabled American Veterans of the World war are to act as escort to the Spanish war veterans. All comrades will assemble promptly at 12.15 p.m. at Memorial Auditorium. Formation of parade will be in order at 12.45 and column will immediately take up line of march.

The veterans will be reviewed at city hall by the mayor and municipal council members. The column, proceeding to St. Patrick's cemetery, will halt for the memorial ceremonies at the soldiers' lot. Edson cemetery will be visited next and these ceremonies completed, the camp will proceed directly to South common, to participate in the parade of the G.A.R. posts. After passing in review at city hall, members will at once march to Memorial hall for refreshments. There will be an entertainment there, with prominent speakers.

The general orders issued by Commander John C. McBride give the detail of the day: Color guards, A. E. Richardson and John Ward; official, George A. Lussier, adjutant.

The uniform of the day, U.S.W.V. and white gloves. Service uniform and white gloves. Civilian clothes and white gloves. Only members of the U.S.W.V. and Ladies' auxiliary will be permitted to participate in the exercises; no children allowed. The Mendelssohn male quartet will report at St. Patrick's cemetery at 1.30 p.m. to render appropriate selections at the soldiers' lots. The 389th Field Artillery Reserve corps band will report to the officer of the day at Memorial hall, promptly at 12.10 p.m. Carriages with disabled comrades and clergy will report to Past Commander Frank Dodge at Memorial hall, at 12.45 p.m. All provisions of this order will be strictly adhered to, subject, however, to unforeseen circumstances causing changes.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, TO MEET

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 21.—The place of meeting of the special session of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, called last night for July 2 by the college of bishops in session here to consider the proposal for unification recently adopted by the general conference of the northern branch of the church, is expected to be fixed at an early date by the committee on arrangements, headed by the Rev. S. H. C. Burgin of San Antonio, Tex.

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TODAY IN WASHINGTON

Senate and house meet.

Senate and house tax bill conferees meet.

House judiciary committee resumes the beer bill hearing.

House commerce committee begins a hearing on rate legislation.

American Institute of Architects opens its 57th annual convention.

Senate foreign relations committee takes up world court proposals.

Senate agriculture committee proceeds with the Muscle Shoals hearing.

House committee investigating the shipping board, continues its inquiry.

Senate elections committee continues its hearing on the Mayfield contest.

Senate Interstate committee is called to consider pending bills.

House irrigation committee holds hearing on the Work fact-finding commission report.

House rivers and harbors committee resumes consideration of the Chicago drainage canal proposal.

JOYCE WETHERED WINS

PORTRUSH, Antrim, Ireland, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—Joyce Wethered again triumphed over Cecil Leitch today, eliminating her more experienced opponent, in the fifth round of the British women's open golf championship by a score of six up and four to play.

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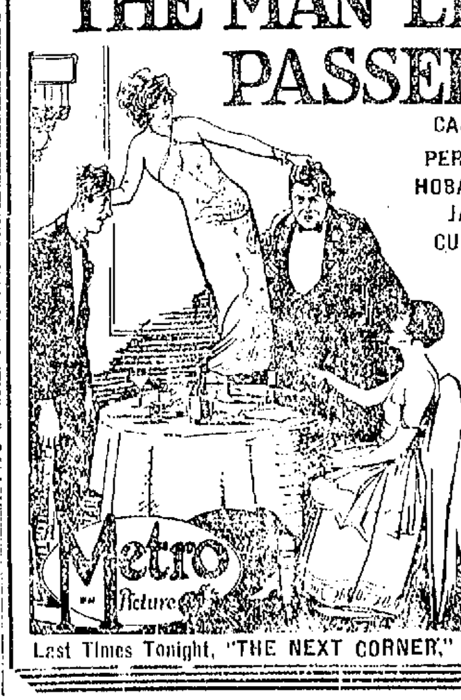

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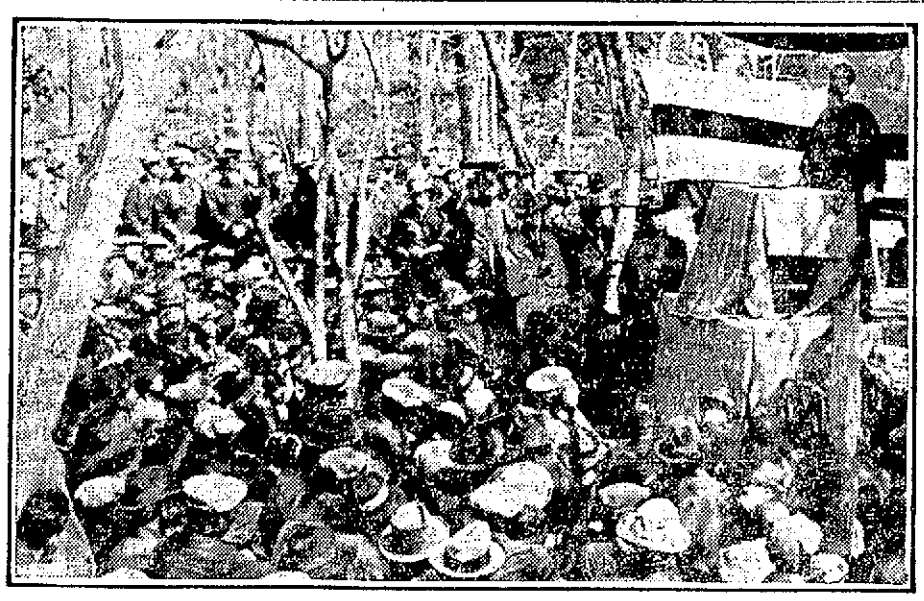

A JAP PROTEST AGAINST EXCLUSION ACT

This is the first anti-American demonstration staged in Japan since congress took up consideration of the exclusion act. It was held in Sano Park in Tokyo. "Down with arrogant America," the speaker shouted. And the crowd took up the cry.

AUTOMOBILES STOLEN

Lowell Machine Among Many Stolen by Alleged Members of Ring

BOSTON, May 21—Clifford D. Thompson of Melrose, his wife, Doris Thompson, William J. Booth of Everett and Wilfred P. J. Marchant of Watertown, were put on trial yesterday afternoon before Judge Sisk and a jury in superior criminal court on a charge of larceny of automobiles.

More than 50 witnesses will testify for the government. Among those who lost automobiles are: William W. Turner of Braintree, William Diehl of Natick, Leland A. Woods of 99 Bedford street, this city, Jacob Ziskind of Lowell, John F. Coleman of 245 State street, this city, William J. Weyland

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THAW HELD IN $10,000

Pleads Not Guilty to Attack on Gump Boy, Kidnapping and Conspiracy

NEW YORK, May 21—Harry K. Thaw is held in bail again today, after a few brief hours of absolute freedom. He pleaded not guilty yesterday to two indictments charging him with kidnaping Frederick Gump, Jr., in 1916, and with second degree assault, and was held in $10,000 bail.

Soon after he left the court another indictment, charging conspiracy to take Gump, then 16 years old, out of the jurisdiction of the court after the alleged attack was discovered. Thaw returned and pleaded not guilty to this also. Bail will be adjusted today. The civil action in the Gump case was settled out of court.

There were indications that Gump, who now is married and living in California, would not come here to testify against Thaw, in which case it would be impossible to try the case and the defense would move to have the indictments quashed.

Thaw recently was declared sane by a jury in Philadelphia and after years of confinement in an asylum, was given his full liberty just before starting for New York to answer the Gump charges.

NEW REGULATION AT POSTOFFICE

Under a recent regulation of the postmaster-general, the names of all postal clerks on duty at windows in the main and sub postal stations must be displayed on or near the window so that it is visible to all persons doing business at the window. At the local station this regulation has been complied with and neatly printed signs reading, "Mr. so-and-so is on duty at this window," are placed on the counters near the windows.

GIBBONS DEVELOPS A SHORT PUNCH

CHICAGO, May 21.—Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul light heavyweight, who meets Georges Carpentier, at Michigan City, Ind., May 31, is developing a short punch he believes will puzzle the Frenchman. He tried it yesterday in workouts of two rounds each with Tillie "Kid" Herman and Andre Anderson, his sparring partners.

The training staff of Carpentier has been increased by two heavyweights, Soldier Kingalight, and Jack Taylor, eastern negro. Carpentier went two rounds with each yesterday in addition to rope skipping and punching the sandbag.

of Leonard street, Dorchester, Joseph Godman of Brookline, Munton A. Woods of 25 Jersey street, this city, W. Russell Warner of Medford, and Burnett & Sherman of 1019 Commonwealth avenue, this city.

Many of the automobiles were recovered at Portsmouth, N. H.

The diamond is the hardest substance known.

TOKIO PAPERS REGRET WOOD'S RESIGNATION

TOKIO, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—Vernaculars in editorials today generally view with regret the resignation of Ambassador Woods. A number of the newspapers fear the effect the resignation will have on the already strained American-Japanese relations.

The Yorozu Choho, jingo journal, says that the impending changes of ambassadors at Tokio and Washington almost simultaneously are not reassuring to the future of Japanese-American dealings. This newspaper quotes army officers recently returned from America with statements that the United States is becoming an imperialistic power, the youth of the nation being trained to militarism under various educational guises.

The Miyako Shimbun speaking of Ambassador Woods, regrets that Japan loses a good friend, "at a time when Japanese-American relations are in a critical state."

The Chugai Shogyo profoundly sympathizes with Ambassador Woods "in the trying predicament in which congress has placed him in the face of his efforts to cement Japanese-American friendship.

The Jiji Shimpo says the immigration bill "displeased the Japanese as never before but the nation is sincerely grateful toward Woods."

FOR VACCINATION OF ALL EMIGRANTS

ROME, May 21.—The first committee of the international emigration conference has approved a motion by the Italian delegates calling for medical examination and vaccination of emigrants before their departure.

The third committee adopted an Italian proposal for the exchange of information respecting markets and employment between the emigration and immigration countries, with a view to the collective engagement of workmen.

The meetings of the conference are of a private executive nature.

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Don't let this great opportunity get away from you. Your call on the Rice Experts is sure to prove one of the best things you ever did. They will be there only two days, then your opportunity will be gone. Remember, you do not spend a penny unless, after having a complete demonstration, you decide this is the Method for you, and you—you alone—are the sole judge of that.

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Envelopes to match, 24 in package, pkg. 15c

Street Floor

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Women's All Silk Umbrellas with one and one half inch satin tape, with tips and ends, 10 ribs, the new short stubby style; blue, brown, red and purple; regular price $6.50. Thursday Special $5.00

Women's All Silk Umbrellas, made on strong close-rolling frame, silk tape edge, blue, brown, red and purple; regular price $4.00. Thursday Special $3.49

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Thursday Specials 8.30 a. m. to 12 Noon

Hosiery -- Underwear

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, with lisle knee and sole; were 38c. Thursday Special 20c

Women's and Misses' Ribbed Sport Lisle Hose, brown only; were 75c. Thursday Special 35c

All of Our $2.00 Women's Silk Hose, full fashioned in black and colors; firsts. Thursday Special $1.85

Children's Union Suits, small sizes, soiled; were 75c. Thursday Special 25c

Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, cuff and shell knee; were 60c. Thursday Special 50c

Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, cuff knee; regular size only; were 50c. Thursday Special 38c

Rug and Drapery Section

Ruffled Curtains, of plain scrim, hemstitched band and tie-backs. Reg. price $1.00 pair. Thursday Special .....75c Pair

Ruffled Curtains, of plain Marquisette, hemstitched band and tie-backs. Reg. price $1.50 pair. Thursday Special....$1.00 Pair

Madras Lace Curtains, (natural color), in two grades, very rich patterns, suitable for every room in the house.
Reg. price $2.75. Thursday Special .....$2.00 Pair
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Panel Curtains, with fringe, the latest creation in curtains, can be used single or pair, in different styles and qualities. Reg. price $3.50 to $6.00 pair. Thursday Special $3.00 to $5.00 Pair

Terry Cloth, the best grade, double face, two different colors, for over-drapes and portieres. Reg. price $1.29 yard. Thursday Special ..... 89c Yard

3x9 ft. (Gold Seal) Congoleum Runners, (Seconds), slightly imperfect, only about 50 runners in lot. Reg. price $1.50 each. Thursday Special ..... $1.98 Each

Hit-or-Miss Rag Rugs, very heavy, washable and reversible, strongly made in three sizes, 24x48, 27x54, 36x72.

	24x48	27x54	36x72
Reg. price	$2.00	$2.50	$3.50
Thursday Special	$1.50	$2.00	$3.00

Fourth Floor

Stamped Articles

Stamped Children's Dresses, 4 to 12-year sizes, of zephyr gingham, linene, checked and plain colors; pink, blue, brown and peach; all fast colors; regular price $1.25 and $1.29. Thursday Special 98c

Stamped Night Gowns, all made with finished necks, of fine quality batiste, all new patterns; regular price $1.25. Thursday Special 98c

Stamped, 36 inch Centers and 54 inch Scarfs, on Indian head, all new patterns; regular price 59c. Thursday Special 39c

Small Lot of Laces, counter soiled, 1 to 4 inch width, mostly cluny, suitable for scarfs and centers; regular prices 25c to 65c. Thursday Special. 5c and 10c

Street Floor

Toilet Goods

Calox Tooth Powder, regular price 25c. Thursday Special 19c

Forhan's Tooth Paste; regular price 11c. Thursday Special 37c

Palm Olive Talcum Powder; regular price 25c. Thursday Special 10c

Denney's Cold and Vanishing Cream; regular price 50c. Thursday Special 35c

Coty's Paris Perfume; regular price $2.00 oz. Thursday. Special, oz. $2.00

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Sweaters, Jacquettes and Knitted Suits

Worsted Slip-on Sweaters, combination collar and cuffs; can be worn high or low. Colors, buff, gray. Sizes 36 to 42. Regular $3.95. Thursday Special..... $1.79

Worsted Jacquettes, in color combinations, very good values. Sizes 38 to 44. Regular $4.95. Thursday Special $1.79

Pure Silk Tuxedo Sweaters, rack patterns, braided sash, wonderful values. Navy and black. Sizes 40 to 44. Regular $24.95. Thursday Special $12.95

Knitted Dresses, silk and wool quality, white linen collar and cuffs. Colors, navy, Harding, and buff. Sizes 36 to 40. Regular $6.95. Thursday Special $3.95

Sport Knitted Suits, quality rib jersey, block design. Colors, buff, Harding and grey. Sizes 40 to 46 only. Regular $21.95. Thursday Special $11.95

Second Floor

Cut Glass

Cut Glass Goblets and Sherbets, optic with daisy cutting. Thursday Special, ½ dozen $1.50

Street Floor

Hair Nets

Hair Nets, double mesh, cap shape, all shades including grey and white. Thursday Special .....6 for 27c

Infants' and Children's Section

Rompers, made of chambray in blue and pink, made good and full; ages 2 to 4 years old; regular price 98c. Thursday Special 59c

Khaki Colored Overalls, trimmed with red; ages 2 to 4 years old; regular price 95c. Thursday Special....59c

Waist and Drawer Combination, of cross-bar muslin, for children; sizes 10, 12, 14; regular price 98c. Thursday Special 59c

Third Floor

Wash Goods

Heather Mixed Ratine, 36 inches wide, in a good range of colors, quite popular for sport wear; regular price 98c yard. Thursday Special, yard 79c

Ratine, 36 inches wide; this is an exceptionally good cloth; we've all the wanted shades, regular price 75c yard. Thursday Special, yard 59c

Gauze Marvel, 32 inches wide is the most popular tissue gingham made; we've a large assortment of new patterns. Thursday Special, yard 49c

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Part Linen Crash Toweling, blue border, firm texture; regular 22c value; yard...14c

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Fancy Turkish Towels in pretty large checks in pink, blue and gold; regular 49c value; each.....35c. 3 for $1.00

Mill Remnants of Mercerized Black Sateen, high finish; regular 39c value; yard 25c

Mill Remnants of 32 Inch Playtime Cloth in pretty stripes and checks, fast colors; regular 25c value at, yard 19c

Remnants of 36 Inches Wide Drapery Cretonne, in pretty floral patterns; regular 49c value, at, yard.....33c

Remnants of 36 Inches Fancy Stripe Drapery Poplin, fine for furniture coverings and auto upholstery; regular 50c values at, yard 33c

Mill Remnants of 40 Inch Fine Printed Voiles, also plains to match in the new colors and patterns; regular 29c value at, yard.....19c

40 Inch Colored Organdy, a fine crisp fabric for ladies' and misses' dresses in the new shades; 35c value, yd. 25c

Mill Remnants of Fancy Border Curtain Scrim, in white, ecru and beige; regular 25c value at, yard 15c

Mill Remnants of Otis Ginghams, good heavy quality, for aprons, and overalls; regular 29c value at.....17c

81x99 Seamless Sheets, made of a standard sheeting with 3 and 1 inch hems; regular $1.69, value, at, each $1.25

Pillow Cases, size 45x36, made the right way of cotton; regular 15c value; 35c, 3 for $1

40 Inch Fine Unbleached Long Cloth, fine for general use; regular 22c value, at, yd. 14c

Heavy 36 Inch Unbleached Cotton, good quality for sheets and pillow cases; regular 22c; value at, yard.....15c

36 Inch Product Cotton, bleached, for general use. Thursday Special, yd. 12½c

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Full Pieces of 36 Inch Truth Cambric and Fine Nainsook, splendid for undergarments; regular 22c value, at, yd. 19c

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Sash Curtains, fancy stripe muslin; regular 19c value. Special at, yard.....12½c

Mill Remnants, 40 inch Lawns, fine for curtains and dresses; regular 19c value. Special at, yard 12½c

Curtain Scrim and Marquisette in fine checks, stripe and dots, also fancy borders; regular 25c and 29c value, at, yard 19c

Women's Hose in tan, nude, white and black. Special, pair 10c

Children's Ribbed Hose, black and cordovan; sizes 5½ to 9½, at, pair..... 10c

Women's Vests, fine jersey lace and band tops; 25c value, at, each 15c

Children's Nainsook Union Suits, 59c value, at, suit 35c

Children's Socks, fancy tops, all sizes; 25c value, at, pair 15c

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45c Oolong Tea—Thursday Special, lb..... 35c

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Sunbrite Cleanser. Thursday Special.....1 Can for 17c

Dover Wash Boilers—Made of IX Charcoal Tin Plate with 11 oz. Copper bottom. No. 9 size. Thursday Special $3.25

Boston Knife Sharpeners, Thursday Special 25c

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SHOE SECTION

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Men's Work Shirts, made of good percale fast colors 50c, and blue chambray; $1.00 value. Thursday Special, 79c. 2 for $1.50

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Men's Khaki Pants, army shade, sizes 30 to 44; $3.00 value. Thursday Special, 79c Pair

BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

Boys' Wash Suits, new styles, colors and combinations; sizes 3 to 8 years; regular price $1.00. Thursday Special 79c

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Children's Rompers and Creepers, made of finest gingham, chambray, poplin, plain colors or combination of white top with assorted colored bottoms, embroidered in colors or trimmed with white organdie, 1 to 8; regular $1.00 value. Thursday Special 88c

Children's Dresses, made of gingham and chambray, low waist line, gathered and pleated skirts, fine and medium checks or plaids; trimmed with contrasting colors and embroidery, pretty styles and colors; 7 to 14½; regular $1.50 value. Thursday Special $1.25

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EXCELLENT PROGRAM BY THE BYAM SISTERS

Kitson hall was filled to capacity last evening when an interested audience gathered to enjoy the excellent program given by the Byam sisters for the benefit of Troop 3, Girl Scouts of America.

Miss Anna Saville Byam, 10 year old pianist opened the program with a pleasing solo by Anthony. Miss Byam was heard to advantage during the evening and her numbers were well interpreted. She also accompanied her sisters, Raenette and Virginia in their numbers.

Little Miss Raenette Wetherbee Byam, 7 year old dancer, was most entertaining in her interpretation of numerous solo costume dances.

Miss Virginia Byam gave several readings which were greatly appreciated by the audience.

Miss Virginia Byam, elocutionist, is the pupil of Mrs. Elsie Powers Corwin. Miss Raenette is the pupil of Mrs. Julian B. Keyes, while Miss Inez Beals, teacher of pianoforte has Miss Anna Byam as a pupil.

At the conclusion of the program the young ladies were presented bouquets in recognition of the excellent program given.

The program was as follows:

Piano Solo, Happy Greetings.Anthony
Anna Saville Byam
Monolog, The Husband's Holiday
Kate F. Ellis
Virginia Frances Byam
Dance, Bluet.....Music by Frank
Raenette Wetherbee Byam
Mrs. Thomas M. Smith, Accompanist
Monolog, Mamie-by-the-Day
Lily Carthew
Virginia
That Waltz of von Weber's
Words by Nora Perry
Music by Gardner
Reading to Music with Dance
Virginia
Piano Solos:
a—The Wayside Brook
Seymour Smith
b—In the Meadows.....Anthony
Anna
When Grandma Was Young...Parker
Monolog in Costume With the Minuet
Virginia
Dance to Little Bo-Peep
Music by Wegman
Raenette
Group:
a—Since Father Has a Radio
Chas. Wagner
b—The Hindoo Paradise
George Birdseye
c—Who-Who-Who-Whoo
Harold Gardner
Virginia
Salute by Group of Girl Scouts
Singing of Star Spangled Banner by all

PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE GOOD INVESTMENT

Rev. Merchant S. Bush, M.A., university students pastor of Greater Boston, was the speaker before the members of the Educational club at their regular meeting held in Kitson hall yesterday afternoon.

Previous to the lecture, a short business session was held with President Mrs. Elizabeth D. Leggat in the chair. Mrs. W. S. Jessop read the rol call and minutes of the last meeting following which Rev. Mr. Bush was introduced.

"The United States has embarked on the greatest educational program in the world," said Mr. Bush in opening his talk. "You all believe in education, but the problem is to get the principles and foundation in education right, as well as the methods and things taught right. Always bear in mind that what you invest in the public schools you are going to get out of them in this generation."

Citing as an example the results of the compulsory study of hygiene and physical education, Rev. Mr. Bush stated that because of this study the children were able to distinguish the dangers of narcotics, alcohol and tobacco. "Those children, grown men and women, were able to put over the prohibition law.

"At the close of the Franco-Prussian war the German leaders determined to make Germany a great country. How did they achieve this end? They taught the children in the schools that Germany was a mighty power. When the war came, each individual believing that Germany was a great country readily assented to remain true to her.

"A nation can be transformed in a generation. As you teach the children, what you put into the public schools, such may you expect the nation to become.

"There is today, however, a great need of religious training. Although some may say, let the child distinguish for himself, the state dictates differently. The child must be taught the English language. He must be taught the fundamental principles of education. But all this is sociology and ethics without God. That is all the state can do; it remains for you to teach the boy and girl of God."

Rev. Mr. Bush then spoke of the excellent work accomplished by the public schools today. He advocated the Sterling-Towner bill, and also stated that we are in need of a state university to which all may be permitted admittance. He also traced the growth of the child from childhood to young manhood and womanhood, stating that it is while the child is young that things should be taught as they are usually better retained than at a later age.

CUTICURA HEALS LARGE PIMPLES

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OUT OUR WAY

FRATERNAL NEWS

A regular meeting of the World war Associates, Inc., was held last evening in Memorial hall with President Eli B. Hart in the chair. It was voted to have the secretary forward letters of appreciation to Representative John Jacob Rogers, Senator Lodge and Senator Walsh for their efforts in behalf of the soldiers' adjusted compensation bill. It was also voted to accept the invitation of Walker-Rogers post, V. F.W., to attend the water service at the Auditorium, May 30.

Lowell Wamesit lodge, I.O.O.F., M.U., met Monday evening in Grafton hall with P.G. Tom Robinson presiding in the absence of N.G. Corfield. P.G. Hugh Ferguson was named as a committee of one to represent the lodge in connection with plans for the observance of Flag day. Delegates Hugh Ferguson and P.G. McEacrett reported on the district convention held recently.

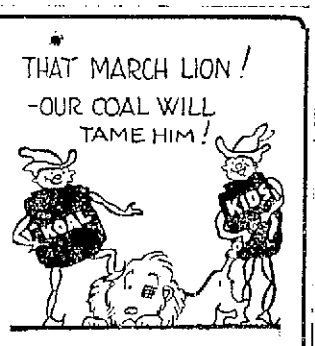
Wamesit Staff association met Sunday morning, but owing to the small attendance, no business was transacted.

WILL BOWL IN LAWRENCE

A bowling match will be staged in Lawrence tonight between Billy McPermott's Gorgan five of this city and the Moose team of Lawrence. A return match will be played in Lowell Friday night. Mr. McPermott has assumed charge of the Roseland alleys and will "carry on" there during the summer months.

SILESIANS AND CUBAN GIANTS

If rain doesn't interfere, the Silesia mills team of North Chelmsford will play the Cuban Giants at Silesia park this evening. The Giants are a colored aggregation, and are regarded as first-class ball players. They have met and defeated some of the best teams in the country, and hope to continue their victorious sweep with a verdict over Gilmore's men. The game will start at 6 o'clock.



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TO MERGE METHODIST CHURCH BOARDS

SPRINGFIELD, May 21. A recommendation for the consolidation of the Methodist church boards of benevolence, will come before the Methodist general conference as an order of the day today. Another issue of major interest awaiting action, is a report of the committee on the state of the church suggesting modifications in the church law on amusements.

The election of bishops will continue this morning, the first ballot taken yesterday not having given to any one man the two-thirds vote necessary for election. There are five vacancies on the board of bishops and changes in assignments are expected to send three of the new bishops to foreign fields, two remaining at stations in this country.

RECRUITS FOR MILITARY TRAINING CAMPS

Col. Charles A. Stevens, chairman of the Middlesex county campaign to enlist recruits for the coming citizens' military training camps at Ayer (Camp Devens), desires to bring to the attention of all citizens of Lowell the need of immediate action, if any wish to procure reservations for the month's training of young men, scheduled for August.

Col. Stevens is authorized representative for the Military Training Camps association—a civilian recruiting agency for the "C. M. T. C." Mr. Steven's Lowell address is 573 Wilder street, this city, and he will be very glad to hear from any young man desiring information concerning the camp. He has appointed as assistant civilian recruiter, Mr. George O. Robertson, whose business headquarters, 82 Prescott street, are conveniently located in Lowell and where application blanks and full information may be obtained.

In addition, Mr. Stevens has appointed local civilian representatives in each of the 27 towns of the county. More than 2000 application blanks have been received for Camp Devens training season thus far, and those desiring to take this month of training and enjoy 30 days in the open, with swimming, athletics, baseball and other outdoor amusements, all free of charge, are urged to lose no time in procuring application blanks from either of the aboved-named citizens.

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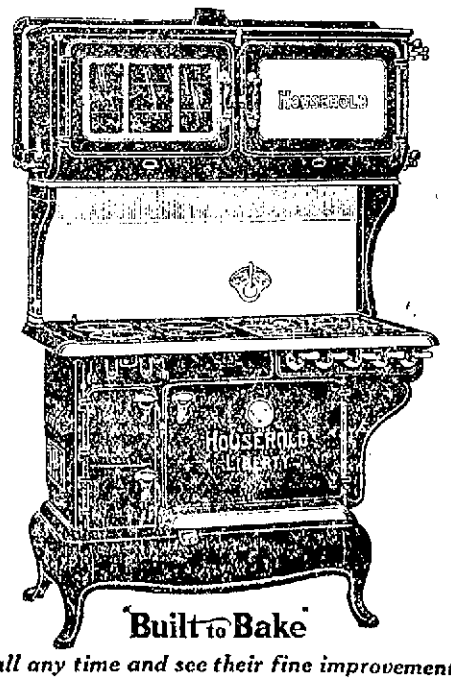

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Every woman who suffers as Mrs. Coffman did naturally wishes to avoid an operation if possible, and the remarkable statements which she makes in her letter will be read with interest by women everywhere.

Mrs. Coffman's Letter Follows:

SIDELL, ILLINOIS.—"I was a nervous wreck. I was suffering from a pain in my left side which was noticeable at all time but sometimes it was almost unbearable and I could not even let the bed-clothing rest on my body at night. I had been sick for seven years but not so badly until the last 18 months, and had become so rundown that I cared for nobody and would rather have died than live. I couldn't do my work without help and the doctor told me that an operation was all there was left for me. I would not consent to that so my husband brought me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and begged me to take it. I have taken fourteen bottles of it and I feel ten years younger. Life is full of hope. I do all my housework and had a large garden this year. I never will be without the Vegetable Compound in the house and when my two little girls reach womanhood I shall advise them to take it."—MRS. IDA M. COFFMAN, R. R. No. 2, Sidell, Illinois.

Another Operation Avoided

DAYTON, OHIO.—"I was sick for eight weeks and had three doctors. They told me I would have to be operated upon before I would be any better. My sister told me about the Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. In one week's time I began to feel better. I took seven bottles of it and also some of the Liver Pills and used your Sanative Wash and I soon gained my health. I recommend your medicines to all women who feel badly and have troubles of this kind and I will answer all letters sent to me by women."—MRS. GRACE B. GILLEM, 270 Valley Street, Dayton, Ohio.

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OUTLOOK FOR BUILDING OPERATIONS REASSURING

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The outlook for building operations was described as reassuring by William B. Faville of San Francisco, president of the American Institute of Architects, in his executive report at the opening session today, of its 57th annual convention.

Mr. Faville criticized the Brown plan for reorganization of the executive branch of the government in its relation to architecture, and told the delegates, who were here from all parts of the country, that the problem of city planning presented a challenge to their art.

He also announced that a joint international conference and exhibition of community planning would be held in New York city in 1926, in connection with the next annual convention of the institute.

With reference to community planning, Mr. Faville declared the urban communities were faced with tremendous problems, with their growth accelerating at a rate never before known.

"Let us never forget," he urged, "our individual achievements in plan and design can never produce the type of community in which human beings can live and work with pleasure and grow constantly toward a fuller and nobler ideal unless the basic plan be a sound one."

REHEARSING FOR MINSTREL SHOW

Members of the senior class of the high school are conducting rehearsals several times a week at the school, in preparation for a minstrel show that will be given in conjunction with the Senior day observance, the date of which has not yet been announced.

The committee in charge of the Senior day program follows: Francis Campbell, Elmer Elliott, Francis Mulholland, James Onley, Ernest Spencer, Helen R. B. Sullivan, Annabel Perry, Beatrice Broton, Doris Hill and Nettie Rostler.

WITNESSES TESTIFY IN AUTO COLLISION CASE

Testimony of persons who were in the vicinity when the accident occurred was given in superior court here today in the trial of the four-cornered tort action involving Albert H. Evans, the Yellow Taxicab Co. and Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston of Birmingham, Ala., and the collision of automobiles at the intersection of Pine and Wilder streets last November.

Among the witnesses were Stewart Eggleston, George Garmon, Police Supt. Thomas R. Atkinson, Sergt. Michael H. Winn and Officers Leahey and Moore. The police officers testified to marks found in the roadway after the accident and the positions of the two cars with relation to the easterly side of Wilder street. Much questioning by counsel had to do with whether lights were seen burning on the taxicab after the crash.

EXPLOSIONS WITHIN CRATER OF VOLCANO

HONOLULU, May 20.—(By the Associated Press) Unusually heavy steam clouds were emitted from Kilauea volcano, now undergoing a period of great activity throughout today. There were explosions within the crater at 2.49 and 4.40 o'clock this afternoon.

Four heavy earthquake shocks were felt at Naalehu station, Mrs. W. A. Stephens, wife of a sugar company overseer, reported over the telephone to Hilo.

A flow of lava from the Puna Kau opening may relieve the situation, it is thought. This flow is a recent development.

A cheese weighing 1 ton, 16 hundredweight and 3 pounds has been made in Australia for exhibition purposes.

HARTANFT IS DECLARED ELIGIBLE

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., May 21.—Glenn Hartanft, star Stanford weight man, whose eligibility to compete in the I. C. A. A. A. track meet at Boston, May 31, has been questioned, has been declared eligible by the Stanford faculty athletic committee. He will compete in the shotput and discus throwing.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

(By Theatres' Own Press Agent)

RIALTO THEATRE

Seldom does the national board of review issue such an enthusiastic statement as that which followed the appearance of the William Fox special production, "The Blizzard," which opens at the Rialto theatre Thursday. The board states that "The Blizzard" is a photoplay which would be outstanding for one episode alone, if for nothing else. As it is, it abounds in noteworthy features of story, acting and treatment. The episode that is unique in the realm of the motion picture spectacle is the terrible adventure with the reindeer in the blizzard. Here the whole sequence action is most unusual pictorially and achieves, without recourse to hokum, a convincingly thrilling situation.

The story of "The Blizzard" tells of a youth who inherited his father's musical talent as well as that old individual's lackadaisical love of the open road. Hoping to replenish his waning fortune, the boy ventures into the far north country to return with a great herd of reindeer, from which the country folk get meat and milk and hides. In a blizzard the herd stampedes. So awful is the experience of the youth that his mind cracks and he becomes a harmless, pitiful half-wit. Back in his own country he hears a violin played by a girl of his childhood, a little wandering circus player. His mentality returns and he discovers that stones he has saved contain copper ore and he found them on his own decaying estate. A capable cast presents the picture, with Mary Johnson, known as the Pickford of Europe, in the leading role. The reindeer stampede scene in this picture is said to be the most startling shot ever filmed. Thousands upon thousands of the animals are shown in a mad rush through a blinding snowstorm.

H. C. Witwer's fight classic, "Fighting Blood," is also on the "card" and in this the fifth round will be shown. These little stories, all complete in themselves, furnish all the elements of entertainment. They contain plenty of good laughs as well as an abundance of action. H. C. Witwer's modern titles in slang are a "knockout."

The latest episode of "Haunted Valley," with Ruth Roland, "The Old Sea Dog," a Snub Pollard comedy and a Fox News complete the bill.

THE STRAND

We unqualifiedly recommend today's program at the Strand to lovers of good photoplays. "When a Man's a Man" is Harold Bell Wright's story that made such a big stir when published in book form originally. Its adaptation to the screen has carried with it more pronounced success than the book. See it for the last times today. Then there is the comedy drama, "Second Youth," that has laughs galore in it, the usual comedy and Weekly as well as the musical numbers. The program for the week-end, starting with matinee on Thursday will have Marshall Neilan's production, "The Rendezvous," with an all-star cast, and also "Jealous Husbands," a drama of real worth. Don't miss this picture treat. It starts tomorrow.

"The Rendezvous" is typically Russian and offers the producer a type of story that is entirely different from picturizations he has handled in the past. Conrad Nagel, as an American army officer, is the principal male character who goes over to Russia and there shows the worth of a doughboy's resourcefulness and courage when fighting with his back against the wall. It has a delightful love story and some of the strongest dramatic scenes imaginable.

"Jealous Husbands," is a present-day story that will appeal to all. You will recognize many phases of present-day life as we know and read about, and its telling is artistically and very cleverly done. Wives and husbands who are inclined to be jealous and over-suspicious should not miss seeing this offering for it affords food for thought. You will learn a good lesson on unreasonable and hasty conclusions if you take it to heart.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

The Quixy Four, vaudeville's best singing quartet, heads the lineup of good things at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week. The four men are not only good singers, but excellent instrumentalists. Morton & Gordon, "Two Black Dots" are exceedingly funny with their original comedy, and Mack & Lane, in nutty fun, are among the week's features. Then there are the old friends, Hunting and Francis in "The Photo-Grafter," and Edith and Violet Walsh, accomplished singers. The opening act is that of Martinet, juggler and magician, who has a pet crow. "Gambling Wives" is the big picture feature, and it is crammed with most unusual situations of real dramatic value. The presenting cast holds such sterling players as Marjorie Daw, Hedda Hopper and Ward Crane.

MERRIMACK SQUARE

Final performances will be given this evening at the Merrimack Square theatre of "The Next Corner," the Paramount production which has created so much favorable comment since its opening here last Sunday. Lon Chaney, Conway Tearle and Dorothy Mackaill are in the leading roles.

Manager Peterson offers for the last three days of the week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, a program of unusual excellence. The feature will be "The Man Life Passed By," a Metro special with a cast which includes Jane Novak, Percy Marmont, Eva Novak, Cullen Landis and Hobart Bosworth. The companion attraction will be Fred Thomson in "The Mask of Lopez," starring Fred Thompson, noted athlete, in a story of the great west.

"The Man Life Passed By" is swift-moving drama, loaded with action, and with skilful comedy touches. Tear-moving and thrilling, with fun and fights and punch and passion, it is a picture for all fans. Not only are there scenes of rich luxury, and gay reckless parties, but scenes of direct poverty, and the haunts of the underworld.

Particularly exciting is the raid on the "Spotted Dog," where Moore's younger daughter has taken her guests, after her father's secretary put an end to the daring frolic at her home. The raid sends the distracted girl fleeing into the arms of her father's enemy, and the scenes that follow will grip every spectator. The climax occurs when the repentant man goes to "Iron Man" Moore's home to ask for justice, and is shot down. But of course the tangle is happily straightened in the end.

One of the most effective sequences in the picture is the Roman Revel given by the younger sister. The garden is decorated to resemble an arena, and the guests are all attired in the togas and draperies of the days of Nero and Titus. A chariot race is run around the "course" with the young men of the party acting as horses.

"The Mask of Lopez," the second feature, gets you right on the jump and holds you all the way. That is the most essential thing in the entire makeup of a moving picture.

Lloyd Hamilton, in his latest and funniest comedy, "The Educator," and the latest International News will complete the bill.

For four days, beginning Sunday, the management announces Thomas Meighan in "The Confidence Man" and Elaine Hammerstein in "Drums of Jeopard," a big double-feature bill.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Louis A. Gendreau of Carlisle and Miss Alice Moreau, a well known young lady of Centralville and a popular member of the Children of Mary sodality of St. Louis' church, were married at that church at a nuptial mass celebrated at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, by Rev. E. J. Vincent. Mr. Noe Gendreau and Mr. William Moreau, fathers of the bridegroom and bride respectively, attended as witnesses. The bride wore a gown of white georgette crepe. Her veil was caught up with a band of pearls and she carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses, sweet peas and lilies-of-the-valley. Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Moreau, 5 Bunker Hill avenue. Present at the breakfast were guests from Fall River, Fitchburg, Carlisle and Nashua, N. H. Mr. and Mrs. Gendreau left on a honeymoon tour and upon their return Saturday evening, they will be tendered a reception at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Gendreau will make their home in Carlisle.

Jodoin—Achin

Mr. Ephrem N. Jodoin and Miss Clara Achin were united in the bonds of matrimony at a nuptial mass celebrated in the chapel of St Joseph's rectory at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, by Rev. Emile Boldue, O.M.I. Mr. Napoleon Jodoin and Mr. Henri Achin, father of the bridegroom and brother of the bride respectively, attended the couple. The bride wore a beautiful gown of cocoa brown with hat to match. She carried a bouquet of Ward roses. Following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, 382 Fletcher street, by the Harvey Catering Co. A reception was tendered the bridal couple following the breakfast. Mr. and Mrs. Jodoin left on an extended wedding tour to New York and Atlantic City and upon their return they will make their home at 7 Willie street.

Crosier—Garland

Mr. Charles Crosier of Cleveland, O., and Miss Marian E. Garland of Dracut, were married Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, by Rev. Samuel Dupertuis of the Hillside Congregational church. The bride wore a gown of white crepe de chine and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses. Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Crosier left on a honeymoon trip to New York city and other places of interest. They will make their home in Cleveland, O., where Mr. Crosier is employed as engineer by a prominent firm.

Fitzgerald-Martin

One of the prettiest weddings of the season was solemnized at a nuptial mass celebrated at 8 o'clock at St. Patrick's church this morning, when Mr. George Martin of West Virginia and Miss Catherine Fitzgerald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzgerald were united in the bonds of matrimony. Miss Agnes Fitzgerald, sister of the bride, attended as bridesmaid, while Mr. William P. Lester acted as best man. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white flat satin crepe. Her veil which was of Duchess silk net, was caught up with orange blossoms and lilies of the valley. She carried a shower bouquet of sweet peas and lilies. The bridesmaid wore a gown of sea blue satin with hat to match and carried pink sweet peas. The bride's gift to the bridesmaid was a string of pearls while the best man was presented a set of gold cuff links, the gift of the groom. Following a wedding breakfast served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin left for the south where they will visit Mr. Martin's mother.

Previous to the arrival of the wedding party at the church, Mr. William Paul McCarthy rendered the following program: "Spring Song," Mendelssohn; "Cantilina Nuptiale," Dubois; "Wedding Day," Wagner; "Thou Art as a Flower," Schuman; "Meditation," Sturgess and "Tocata," Dubois. Miss Frances Tighe rendered two appropriate solos during the mass. The usual nuptial music was played for the processional and recessional, Mr. McCarthy presiding at the organ.

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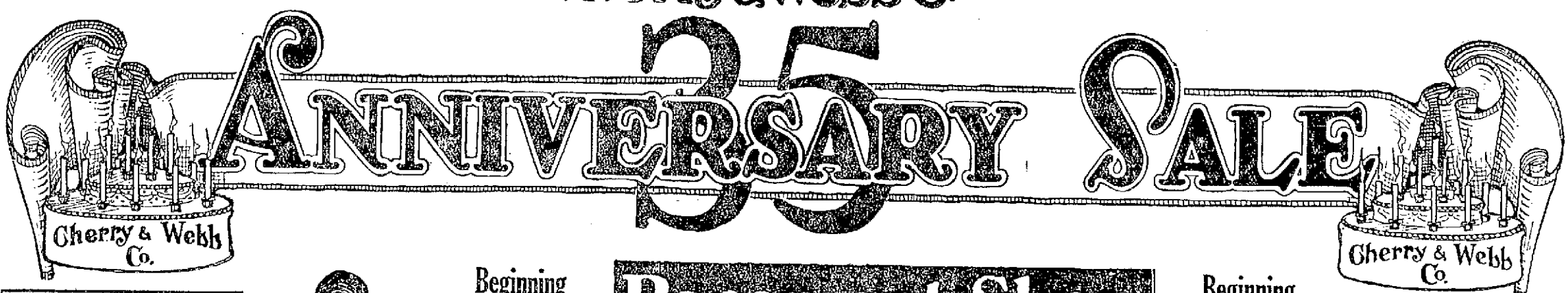

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DEPRECIATION OF FRANC SUBJECT OF CONFERENCE

PARIS, May 21.—The depreciation of the franc is beginning seriously to pre-occupy the government and it is understood to have formed the principal subject of Premier Poincare's talk with President Millerand yesterday as it will that at the cabinet meeting called at the foreign office today.

Reports are even current that several of the most prominent ministers favor resigning at once and transferring the task of government to the new majority of the left, holding that inactive continuation of office by the present administration until the first week of June is likely to be extremely prejudicial to the financial situation.

In any case both the president and premier are agreed that M. Herriot and Painleve, respectively radical and republican-socialist leaders, must be called into council when any measure of importance is considered and it is expected M. Millerand will ask both to call at the Elysee Palace today.

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RADIO BROADCASTS

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

KGI, MEDFORD

6.30 p. m.—Stock market reports, world market survey, Boston police reports; message to Camp Fire Girls by Charles W. Casson, Big Smoke.

7 p. m.—Meeting of the Big Brother club.

7.30 p. m.—Evening program: Health-o-gram, by Rev. B. M. Heald; concert arranged by the Toreador club; five-minute talk by Reinhard S. Speck, boys work director of the Gloucester Y. M. C. A.; five minutes of facts about fish, Frank W. Robinson; trio selections, Agnes S. Marshall, cello; Virginia Lockwood, violinist; Marion MacDonald, pianist, oral hygiene, by Dr. C. C. Nelson, doctor-dental surgery; selections by string orchestra, Cape Ann lodge, Loyal Order of Moose.

8 p. m.—Talk by Charles Kammerer on The Life of the Boston Terrier, the only American Bred Dog.

9.15 p. m.—Popular song hits, Don Ramsay at the piano, Ada Rock and Perry Fulton; weather report and time.

WNAC, BOSTON

4 p. m.—Debate, Resolved that Women Have Done More for the Advancement of Civilization than Men Have, affirmative, the Lowell high school faculty; negative, students of Lowell high school.

5 p. m.—The Day in Finance.

6 p. m.—Children's half hour; Silah D. Baker, reader; Mildred M. Bastion, pianist.

6.30 p. m.—WNAC dinner dance, Cherker Inn orchestra.

7.30 p. m.—Baseball results.

8 p. m.—Harvard Freshman Glee club, G. Sidney Stanton, director, assisted by Carleton Smith, flutist, and Marion Lowd, soprano.

9-10 p. m.—Concert program, Genaro A. D'Allessandro, basso cantate; Harry F. Morse, violinist; Lucy Bean Millington, pianist.

10 p. m.—May dance, the Shepard Store Mutual Aid association, broadcast from Somerset hotel.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD

6 p. m.—Dinner concert by the WBZ String orchestra.

7 p. m.—Results of baseball.

7.10 p. m.—Organ recital.

7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story.

7.40 p. m.—Program of chamber music by the WBZ String orchestra.

8.30 p. m.—Concert by Perry's Ye Old New England Choir; Maude Turner, soprano; Gertrude Greeley, mezzo-contralto; Everett Cutler, tenor; Frederic Perry, baritone; Gladys Grant, pianist.

10.55 p. m.—Time signals.

11 p. m.—Summary of the day's events at the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

11.30 p. m.—Weekly midnight Boston dance concert by Leo Reisman and his orchestra.

WJZ, NEW YORK

4 p. m.—Fashion talk.

4.10 p. m.—Daily menu.

4.20 p. m.—Furnishings.

4.30 p. m.—Hotel Commodore tea music.

5.30 p. m.—Agricultural reports; farm and home reports; New York stock exchange; foreign exchange quotations.

7 p. m.—Story for Boys and Girls, by Florence Smith Vincent.

7.20 p. m.—Financial Development of the Day.

7.30 p. m.—Selzer's orchestra.

7.45 p. m.—Aims and Objects of English Speaking, by John Daniel.

8 p. m.—Boulevard orchestra.

8.35 p. m.—City official series talk by Hon. Edward T. O'Laughlin.

8.50 p. m.—Marion E. Ledos, soprano.

9.05 p. m.—Reminiscences of a Reporter, by William H. Crawford.

9.25 p. m.—An Evening at Log Tavern.

10 p. m.—Race.

10.30 p. m.—Emil Coleman's Trocadero orchestra.

WEAF, NEW YORK

4 p. m.—Beatrice Goodwin, soprano, accompanied by Winifred T. Barr.

4.25 p. m.—Nathan Gluck's harmonists.

5.30 p. m.—Harry Hadley Schyde, bass baritone, accompanied by Winifred T. Barr.

6 p. m.—Dinner music.

7 p. m.—Synagogue services. Address by Rabbi Arthur Neubender. Piano solos by Harry Kaufman.

7.30 p. m.—Sport talk by Thornton Fisher.

7.40 p. m.—Mary Cantor and Sarah Alter, in a program of piano duets.

7.50 p. m.—Bringing the Dairy Farm to the Table, by Gabrielle Elliott.

8 p. m.—Learning and Memory, Introductions to Psychology, by Dr. Gardner Murphy.

8.20 p. m.—May Cantor and Sarah Alter, piano duets.

8.30-10.15 p. m.—Public policy committee session of the National Electric Light association, direct from the new Million Dollar Pier at Atlantic City. Program, orchestra selections by Zez Confrey and Paul Whiteman's orchestra; address by Hon. Arthur Capper, senator, state of Kansas; selections by Efrem Zimbalist, famous violinist; brief address by Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover, direct from Washington. Ir. Cc selections by Efrem Zimbalist, violinist.

EASTERN STANDARD TIME

KDKA, PITTSBURGH

5 p. m.—Baseball scores.

5.30 p. m.—Concert by the Pittsburg Athletic Association orchestra.

6 p. m.—Baseball scores. Dinner concert continued.

6.30 p. m.—The children's period.

6.45 p. m.—News bulletins.

7 p. m.—Programs arranged by the United Synagogue of America.

7.30 p. m.—Address by John Dyss, celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Harmony society.

7.40 p. m.—Market reports.

8 p. m.—Concert by the Black Cat orchestra.

9.55 p. m.—Time signals. Weather forecast. Baseball scores.

KYW, CHICAGO

6 p. m.—News.

6.45 p. m.—Bedtime story.

7 p. m.—Joska DeBabary's orchestra.

7.10—Paul Whiteman's Collegians.

8 p. m.—Musical program. Dick Lloyd, the singing electrician.

9 p. m.—Good Roads talk.

10 p. m.-2.30 a. m.—Midnight revue.

WGY, SCHENECTADY

5 p. m.—Produce and stock market; news bulletins; baseball results.

5.30 p. m.—Story.

7.30 p. m.—Selections by Zez Confrey and Paul Whiteman's orchestra. Address by Arthur Capper, United States Senator from Kansas, violin solos by Efrem Zimbalist. Address by Herbert Hoover, United States secretary of commerce.

WRC, WASHINGTON

4 p. m.—Song recital.

5.15 p. m.—Instruction in international code.

6 p. m.—Stories for children.

6.15 p. m.—A talk under the auspices of the Smithsonian institute.

WCAP, WASHINGTON

7.25 p. m.—Baseball results.

7.30-9.15 p. m.—Same as WEAF.

9.15-10 p. m.—A Bob Lawrence community concert from Eastern high school, Washington; music by the United States Army band; choral music by the Baltimore and Ohio Glee club; vocal solos by Ethel Holtzclaw Gowler, soprano; Benjamin Y. Morrison, basso; Harlan Randall, baritone; instrumental numbers by Rosemary Fleckel, pianist; Dawson and Doyle, banjoists; Hugh Alexander, harmonica soloist.

WTAM, CLEVELAND

6-7.30 p. m.—Dinner concert. News and baseball scores.

8-9 p. m.—Musical program.

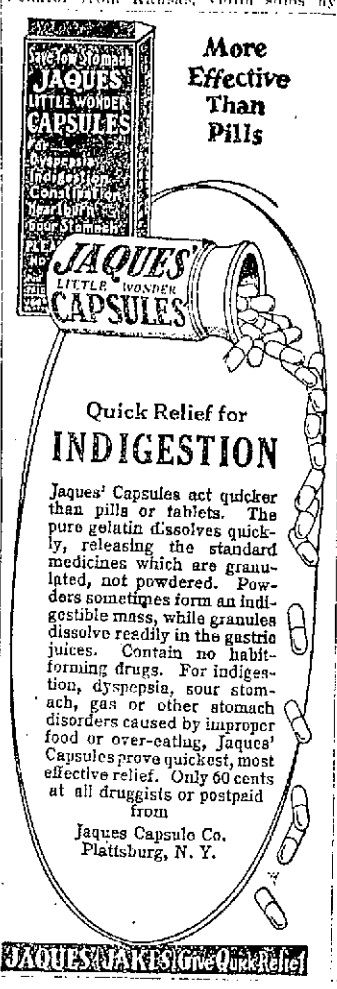
9.05-11 p. m.—Concert. Edward's Jolly Five orchestra. Northeast Y. M. C. A. minstrel troupe, Alyce Flahaven, xylophone, Carl Knoch and Fred Perlors, mouth harp. Hon. Harry L. Devis, ex-governor of Ohio, address.

COMMODORE BALLROOM

William Hardy and his orchestra will engage in a battle of music tomorrow night with Miner-Doyle's famous aggregation at the Commodore ballroom on Thorndike street. Hardy comes from Oak Bluffs, Mass., and has, for several seasons, played at the leading summer resorts on the South Shore. The team is composed of high-grade musicians and in the rendition of snappy dance music is classed as a top-notcher. It is the second appearance of this orchestra in Lowell and while at the Commodore on Tuesday evening the team delighted a large gathering of dancers. Miner-Dyle's, as is well known, always pleases, and the combination for tomorrow night will undoubtedly play to a large gathering. The dancing surface is in fine condition and it is an extreme pleasure to spend an evening at this popular resort. Nothing has been left undone for the comfort and convenience of those seeking amusement along this particular line and Owner Braun has many ideas which will be tried out in an effort to make the Commodore the up-to-date and most modern dance hall north of Boston. For an evening of genuine enjoyment hear the battle of music between the two orchestras tomorrow night. The admission is 50 cents.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK

ROME, May 21. An earthquake shock was felt on Tuesday at Pievepelago, Pavullo and other places in the Frignano region, southwest of Bologna. No harm was done.



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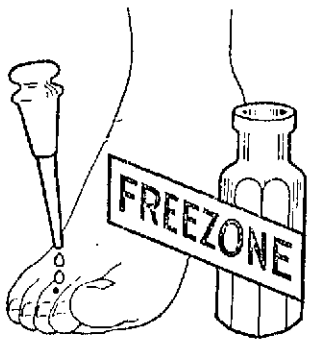

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SLIGHT DECREASE IN COST OF LIVING

(Special to The Sun.)

BOSTON, May 21.—A decrease of about one per cent. in the cost of living in the month of April, as compared with the month of March, is shown by figures published today by the state commission on necessaries of life.

The drop is due chiefly to a considerably lower scale of prices for food, and a small reduction in the cost of fuel and light, this being due, probably, to letting the furnace fire out, and to the longer days and shorter evenings.

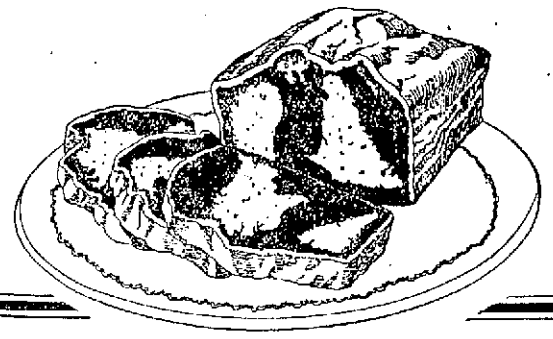
Using the pre-war prices of 1913 as a basic rate of 100, the commission reports that in April the cost of living in Massachusetts was 157.7, as compared with 159.2 in March, and with 158.5 in April, 1923.

For the various factors entering into the cost of living, the comparative figures for March and April were: Food, 159.0, 156.1; clothing, 186.2, 184.9; shelter, 168.0, 168.0; fuel and light, 178.8, 177.1 sundries, 171.4, 171.1.

The drop in the food figures was due largely to lower prices of fish, eggs, milk, butter, cheese, tea, sugar, molasses, onions, canned goods, prunes, vinegar and oatmeal. On the other hand, prices of meats, lard, coffee, flour, meal, bread, rice, potatoes, evaporated apples and dried beans were slightly higher.

The clothing figures also fell off. Items showing the greatest decrease were shoes, hats, gloves, underwear and cotton goods, while suits, hosiery and collars showed slight increases.

Figures for fuel and light were lowered by the seasonal decrease in the price of hard coal, which was but slightly offset by an increase in the price of gas in Lowell. HOYT.



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½ cup butter or other shortening
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3 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
2¼ cups pastry or bread flour
¼ teaspoon salt
⅔ cup milk
2 squares (2 oz.) unsweetened chocolate or ⅓ cup cocoa
3 teaspoons Cleveland's Baking Powder

Cream butter until light and fluffy; add sugar a little at a time, beating well; add beaten eggs and vanilla. Sift the flour with the baking powder and salt and add a little, mixing well; add part of the milk, then the remainder of the flour and remainder of milk, mixing between each addition.

Take out one-half of batter and add the chocolate which has been melted; mix well and add one tablespoon cold water, or if cocoa is used mix with the water and add.

Grease and slightly flour one large loaf pan. Put the batter into pan by spoonfuls, alternating the light and dark. If a "streaky effect" is desired, mix slightly. Bake in moderate oven (350°) for about one hour. Cover top and sides with the following icing:

1 teaspoon butter
4 tablespoons hot milk
3 cups confectioner's sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Add butter to milk; cool and add sugar slowly to make right consistency to spread; add vanilla and spread on top and sides of cake.

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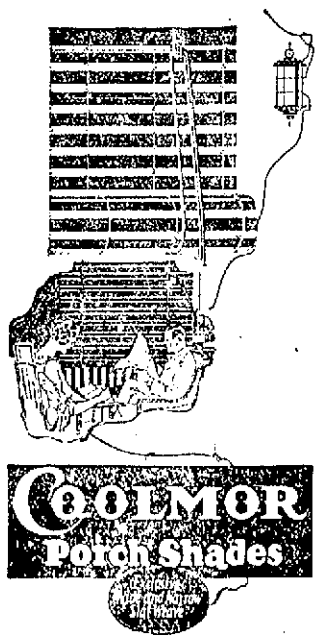
What You Should Know About Porch Shades



WHEN buying shades for your porch, there are four important features you should look for. First, see that they give ample ventilation; second, that they roll up easily; third, that they will not flap in the wind; fourth, that they do not cost too much.

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MAYOR'S NOMINATION OF O'CONNELL CONFIRMED BY COUNCIL

Gormley Displaced as Superintendent of Charities—Lively Hearing on Bus Company's Petition to Operate Between Lowell and Lawrence

Several public hearings, that on the proposed Lawrence-Lowell motor bus line chief among them, attracted well over 100 citizens to the five-hour session of the city council which began at 8.20 o'clock last night. When the session ended, at 1.05 o'clock this morning, the petitions were all under advisement, and John J. O'Connell had been confirmed as successor to Joseph H. Gormley as superintendent of charities.

It was long after midnight before the hearing on the petition of the New England Motor Bus corporation had concluded and Councilor Sadlier moved that the nomination of Mr. O'Connell be taken from the table. Councilor Chadwick had left the meeting and six councilors balked on acting on the nomination. Eight favoring action, the president called for a vote on the confirmation of Mayor Donovan's nominee. The vote follows:

To confirm the nomination: Messrs. Cosgrove, Daly, Dickson, Lambert, McFadden, McFadden, Moriarty, Sadlier, Stearns. Total 9.

Against confirmation: Messrs. Chretien, Fitzgerald, Gallagher, Genest, Hennessey. Total 5.

At 12.40 o'clock this morning Council President Gallagher declared the nomination of Mr. O'Connell confirmed.

Fourteen jurors for the June sessions of the superior court were drawn before adjournment, which was until next Tuesday night. Among the jurors drawn was Owen Monahan, city messenger.

The nomination of Joseph M. Dinneen, to succeed Fred H. Rourke as city treasurer was not mentioned. This has been tabled for several weeks. No appointments were sent down by the mayor to the board of health or license commission, but are expected at the next meeting.

The charities committee failed to report on the proposed amendment to the new charities ordinance which would, if allowed, call for the continuance of the present system of distribution of fuel to the poor from the city wood yard instead of by contract as is now projected.

The gas probe committee met with Rep. Thomas J. Corbett during the evening relative to the hearing on gas rates which is to be held next Wednesday by the state public utilities commission in Boston.

The council chamber was crowded with a large number of trolleymen, trades and labor enthusiasts, proponents of the bus line, persons interested in the likelihood of action on the mayor's nominations and the expected report of the isolation hospital investigation committee which failed to materialize.

The bus line hearing was featured by a sharp personal exchange between J. Joseph Hennessy, counsel for the petitioners, and Fred A. Cummings, attorney for the trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company, remonstrants. The name of Fred Crowley was besmirched and garnished with verbal brickbats and bouquets by the respective counselors in turn, to the edification and delight of the audience. Council President James J. Gallagher declared the hearing open at 8.40 o'clock, on the petition of the New England Motor Bus Co., for the right to operate line from here to Lawrence.

D. Dana Bartlett, for the petitioner, of which corporation he is president, said:

"The New England Motor Bus Company, the petitioner now before you, is a Massachusetts corporation and subject in all respects to the laws of the commonwealth.

"Its authorized capital is $5,000, which, together with the additional amount necessary for the proposed undertaking, has been fully subscribed.

"Its corporate franchise is broad but its present activities will be entirely devoted to the development of the transportation of passengers, by motor coach between cities in the commonwealth having a community of interests and also between cities in New England having similar characteristics.

Native Of Lowell

"As I was born in Lowell, educated in its schools and up to the year 1911 had, with the exception of a few years, been a continuous resident, a personal reference may be unnecessary; nevertheless I feel that a brief summary of my business experience and connections may not be inappropriate.

"Upon graduation from the Lowell High school, after a brief period of employment by the Locks and Canals company, I entered the employ of the Boston & Maine railroad, and continued in the railroad business, acquiring experience and training in the passenger, freight and operating departments until 1892, when I took the position of traveling auditor of the General Electric company, later having charge of factory production costs, and remained with said company until 1898, when I was offered and took the position of general auditor of the Lowell and Suburban Street Railway company, holding this position until 1899, when I was appointed general auditor of the Massachusetts Electric companies; the company then in control of the street railways now known as the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company.

"In 1911, for reasons not difficult to understand by those acquainted with street railway conditions at that time, I accepted the presidency and general managership of Pilling & Madeley, Inc., of Philadelphia, manufacturers of hosiery and employing between 600 and 700 operatives and remained with this company until 1914.

Is Former Trolley Co. Man

"Since 1914 I have been engaged in professional work as consulting accountant and engineer, specializing in organization and management and financial and industrial problems; have been associated with engineers of the F. W. Taylor School of Scientific Management, and in 1916 served as secretary of the Council of National Defence, composed of the secretaries of war, navy, agriculture, interior, commerce and labor, for the purpose of organization, and I derived from this service some personal satisfaction from the fact that the plan of organization and conduct provided was found to be workable and efficient and was followed to the conclusion of the war.

"In 1915 I was elected associate of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, and have since retained membership in this society.

"The foregoing is intended to serve as my qualification for the conduct and management of the proposed enterprise.

"Early in my study and survey of the present transportation facilities in Massachusetts and New England, I became impressed with their inadequacy when compared with other sections of the country. Very little, if any, progress had been made in developing the use of the motor coach for interurban traffic.

"This means of through interurban transportation has practically superseded the trolley car in the territory west of Buffalo, N. Y., where in excess of 10,000 motor coaches are now operated, and it will undoubtedly, supercede it in New England in the near future. That it is also adapted to local city service, in some instances, is evidenced by its use in New York, Chicago, Detroit, Philadelphia, Washington and many other large cities.

Has Studied Field Here

"The existing conditions in Lowell and Lawrence, under study, were illuminating. Perhaps the importance of these two cities has not been fully realized. Examination of the census for 1920 brought out the fact that there are only 185 cities in the United States having a population of over 40,000. Both Lowell and Lawrence are included in this number; Lowell occupies the sixty-first position and Lawrence the seventy-third, or as to population they rank as the sixty-first and seventy-third cities of the United States. By the same census Lowell had a population of 112,759, and Lawrence 94,270, a total population of 207,029.

"The principal industry of both cities is the manufacture of textiles, and they consequently have an unusual community of interest. Situated less than 12 miles apart, they constitute a large metropolitan area, which can without exaggeration be said to dominate the textile industry of the country if not the world. To bring out and emphasize this community, a recent count of the motor traffic was made at Merrimack park, a point midway between the two cities on the state highway on the north side of the river. The maximum of traffic was found to be between the hours of 4 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, when a total of 268 automobiles and motor trucks passed said point 130 going toward Lawrence and 138 toward Lowell, approximately four to five per minute. The minimum of traffic was between 12 noon and 1 p. m., the total being 58, 22 Lawrence 36, to Lowell 60, or one to two per minute. This certainly has its significance, especially as the count was not taken during the busy season of year and in view of the existing business depression.

"In 1914 there were 2,000,000 automobiles in use in the United States; in 1921, 12,000,000. Notwithstanding this extraordinary increase in the use of gasoline motor and its substitution for other means of propulsion, the ratio to the total population is less than 1 to 10; applying this ratio to the two cities under consideration, we find that 90 per cent of the population, or approximately 186,000 people, are not using nor are they provided with this up-to-date means of

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ARE THEY BANDITS?

Life in a small Ohio town proved too tame for Estelle Mikowsky, 18, Buffalo, N. Y., she heard was a pretty "fast town," so there she went. But Buffalo proved even faster than she dreamed. She and two male companions face a first degree murder charge following the death of a jewelry salesman shot in a holdup.

Annie Tabor, held as Los Angeles "flapper bandit," was arrested with her husband when the latter was shot and seriously wounded by an intended victim. Mrs. Tabor, waiting in a nearby automobile, tried to get her wounded husband away, according to police.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 21.—(By the Associated Press) Nine hundred and sixty commissioners charged with disposal of temporal and doctrinal problems of a great Protestant denomination were concentrating here today for the opening of the 136th general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America tomorrow.

One of the probable storm centers of the assembly—Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick of New York—will not attend the gathering, but his supporters and critics, the latter including William Jennings Bryan, are expected to renew the controversy that rocked last year's general assembly at Indianapolis.

The Fosdick dispute grew from a sermon, "Shall the Fundamentalists Win?" delivered by Dr. Fosdick, who is an ordained Baptist minister, holding pastorate of the First Presbyterian church, New York.

Election of a moderator to succeed Dr. Charles F. Wishart, president of Wooster college, is the outstanding business of the opening day.

BODY OF HARVARD FRESHMAN FOUND

CAMBRIDGE, May 21.—The body of Robert E. Proctor, the Harvard freshman for whom traitors search had been made since he disappeared from a racing wherry on the Charles river, came to the surface today. He was drowned nine days ago.

IDAHO DEMOCRATS ENDORSE McADOO

ST. MARIES Idaho, May 21.—The Idaho democratic state convention early today adopted a resolution endorsing the candidacy of W. G. McAdoo for the democratic presidential nomination without instructing that the state's eight votes in the national convention be cast for him.

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PROTEST IMPRISONMENT OF DE VALERA

DUBLIN, May 21.—The continued imprisonment of De Valera, Austin Stack, and other republican leaders is bitterly condemned by the republicans and among the loudest in protest are men who have themselves been released from prison while still declaring their allegiance to De Valera and the republic.

It was supposed that pledges had been given for the release of De Valera and others by Easter, but no such pledge has been admitted or proved. Now there is a rumor that the prisoners who are named are to be released before the roll-team games early in August.

TROUBLE BREAKS OUT IN ALBANIA

BELGRADE, May 21.—Trouble has broken out in Northern Albania, according to the Politika. Insurgents are reported to have captured Scutari and several other towns.

A Belgrade despatch on May 10, reported armed strife in consequence of a conflict between the Albanian government in Tirana and a number of deputies who demanded that the capital be transferred to another town. Another complication in the Albanian situation is the agitation growing out of the murder by bandits of the two Americans, Robert L. Coleman of San Francisco and George B. De Long of New York. A Rome despatch bearing on this situation last week, said that a military dictatorship was believed to be inevitable.

PREMIER KIYOURA TO RESIGN

TOKIO, May 21.—(By the Associated Press) Premier Kiyoura, whose government was severely defeated in the recent elections, told a cabinet meeting yesterday that he had definitely determined to resign shortly, according to the newspaper Nichi Nichi, and Jiji Shimpo.

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transportation and intercommunication.

"Impressed by these conditions, confident that public necessity and convenience demand a remedy and believing that Lowell, my native city, in whose welfare and progress I have been and always shall be interested, would be distinctly benefited by the service which we propose to furnish, it naturally followed that our first application for a license should be made to the governing body of that city.

Tells of Present Service

"You are all no doubt familiar with the present transportation facilities between the cities. There is no through or express service and it cannot be furnished without interfering with the local traffic. Half-hourly trips are made which take 45 minutes between termini, during which, from actual count, 50 to 65 stops, local and otherwise, are made.

"We propose to provide an hourly, rapid transit, express, non-stop service, with no standing passengers, a comfortable seat for every passenger, in motor coaches of the latest type especially designed for passenger service and will make the trip in two-thirds of the time now required, namely in 30 minutes, and at the same cash fare of 40 cents.

"The type of coach we propose to use was on exhibition in the city last week, and several members of the council made a trip in it over the proposed route.

Offer to Provide Bond

"The laws provide that a satisfactory bond or other security shall be furnished for the adequate protection of passengers and property in the case of accident. We shall be ready to furnish such security, and as evidence I submit two letters on this subject which, with your permission, I will read later. From these you will note that each coach operated will be covered against personal injury and property damage in the sum of $10,000 for any single person, $25,000 for any single accident and $1000 for property damage.

"In conclusion I wish to state that this matter is of much greater importance than may at first appear. The main question before you is, shall your city and its citizens be provided with the latest method of transportation? If so, the granting of our petition will provide such facilities and I confidently believe that you, after due consideration of the facts presented, will be convinced that no sound arguments or valid reasons can be advanced in opposition that can or will outweigh the distinct benefits that will accrue to your city and its inhabitants through the granting of this license."

Petitioner Questioned

Councilor Daly asked as to the nature of equipment to be used. Mr. Bartlett replied specially built Pierce-Arrows will be used, capable of seating 23 to 25 persons. In answer to another question by Mr. Daly, J. Joseph Hennessy, counsel for the petitioner, said the service will be express. Passengers will pay the full 40-cent fare regardless of where they desire to alight. In answer to another question by Mr. Daly, the petitioner said he expects to carry an average of 7500 passengers per month.

"I am told that if this petition is granted, a number of street railway men will lose their jobs," said Mr. Daly. "What have you to say to that?"

"I considered the possible effect it might have," said Mr. Bartlett. "The business on the Lowell-Lawrence trolley line is about 80 per cent. local. I don't see that they could cut down the number of cars and serve the people as they do now." Mr. Bartlett said he could not see that the trolley company would be affected by a revenue loss of any more than $10 a day insofar as current revenue is concerned.

Bartlett in Control

Mr. Bartlett said he and three associates own the corporation. "I practically hold control."

Mr. Bartlett did not care to say who his associates were.

Counselor Hennessy said there has been no money paid in, adding it would be futile to sell stock before having a franchise. "That is our intimate business," he added. "Our financial stability we will guarantee."

Mr. Bartlett read the letters regarding insurance which he referred to earlier. Mr. Hennessy, in answer to Mr. Daly, said the concern is at present without liabilities or assets.

Mr. Daly asked regarding the opportunity for local employment. Mr. Bartlett said the company intends to start with five operators of long experience. Later Lowell citizens would be given preference, he said.

Other Councilors Query

Councilor Lambert asked if licenses from Andover and Lawrence had been granted. Mr. Bartlett said one is not required in the first named municipality. There will be a hearing in Lawrence next Monday night on the petition filed there.

Councilors McFadden asked the contemplated hours of service. Mr. Bartlett says tentative plans are for from 7 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock at night. Councilor Sadlier asked why a discontinuance so early in the evening. Mr. Bartlett said the schedule is tentative and could be changed to suit public desires.

"Inevitable," Says Hennessy

J. Joseph Hennessy said that the replacement of trolley cars by motor busses is as inevitable as was the replacement of horse cars by trolley cars.

He denounced the "specious methods" of the trustees appointed by His Excellency, the governor, to head off the motor bus petition. He scored what he termed the propaganda of these trustees, citing the personal interviews trolleymen had been requesting with councilors. He deplored the attitude of workers over whose eyes, he charged, the trustees are pulling wool. He cited the meeting of trolleymen which city government members were asked to attend and said the heads of the Eastern Massachusetts are forgetful of the lack of regard to their employes when they put one-man cars into operation.

"These trustees are fighting not for the men, but for their jobs as trustees and they are fighting us through the men," said Mr. Hennessy.

"I dare the trustees to give us a trial for three months and then come here and compare receipts. We are dissimilar in every respect," said Mr. Hennessy. "We go through different territory. We want and we expect a conscientious, deliberate, dispassionate consideration of our project."

"The service which we will give will be superior to anything you have ever heard of," said Mr. Hennessy. He cited the Eastern Massachusetts as a poor debtor, defiant in declining to pay excise taxes due the city for five years and also cited the balky attitude of the company insofar as is concerned construction work, in streets.

Possibility of Petition

"We haven't approached a man—we haven't approached a councilor, but in two weeks' time I can bring a petition signed by thousands. Our cards are on the table all the time."

The Remonstrants

A five-minute recess preceded the opening of the hearing for the remonstrants.

Thomas Powers, president of the carmen's union, opened. He predicted one-

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LOVED HER CAREER TOO MUCH!

Jeanne Gordon, Metropolitan Opera contralto, cared more for her art than she did for her husband and child. Ralph K. Trix, wealthy Detroit real estate man, charged in his divorce petition. The court granted him a decree and custody of their 11-year-old daughter, Jane. Gordon says he sympathizes with his wife's ambitions.

IN FLOODS

One man was drowned and six others were rescued when rising waters of the Monongahela river in Pittsburgh swept a string of barges and a derrick boat from their moorings and carried them down-stream. The boats stopped their mad dash only after they crashed into a railroad trestle.

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WOMEN'S WEAR SECTION

Envelope Chemises, white, trimmed with lace. Sizes 36 to 42. Thursday Special..... **47c**

Willow Loom Night Gowns, in extra sizes, 18, 19, 20. Trimmed with featherstitching or hemstitching. $1.39 value. Thursday Special **$1**

House Dresses, fine percale and gingham, also a few in chambray and unbleached cotton. Sizes 36 to 42. Slightly counter soiled. Values to $1.98. Thursday Special **95c**

Extra Size Gingham Aprons, loose models, allover style. Assorted checks, trimmed with bands of plain color. $1.69 value. Thursday Special **$1.29**

Second Floor

INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S WEAR

Children's Overalls, blue chambray, fastened on the shoulder. Sizes 2 to 4. Thursday Special **50c**

Infants' Dresses, short or long style, sizes 0, 1, 2 years. Thursday Special **45c**

Children's Union Suits, made of fine nainsook. Sizes 2 to 10. 89c value. Thursday Special, **50c**

Second Floor

CORSET SECTION

Special Group Corsets, including Practical Lace Front, W. B. Reduco, La Resista, in broken sizes, 24 to 34. $5 value. Thursday Special **$2.89**

Long Line Bandeaux, pink or white. Sizes 32 to 42. Thursday Special **75c**

Second Floor

BOYS' CLOTHING

Boys' All Wool Suits, tweeds and cassimeres, with alpaca linings. Sizes 7 to 16. Thursday Special **$3.49**

Boys' Sweaters, coat style, with pockets, in blue and brown. Thursday Special..... **$1.55**

Boys' Silk Knitted Ties, 50c value. Thursday Special **29c**

Basement

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Women's and Misses' Sweaters, silk and fibre silk, in jacquette and tuxedo styles, many colors to choose from, sizes 38 to 44; values to $7.98. Thursday Special **$2.98**

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SHOE DEPARTMENT

Odd Lot Girls' High Shoes, white or black and white, sizes 6 to 2 in lot. Thursday Special **75c**

Girls' Tan Low Shoes, with wide extension soles, Goodyear sewed, sizes 5 to 11. $2 value. Thursday Special **$1.45**

Children's Egyptian Pumps, patent leather, made with best leather soles, sizes 8 to 11. $2.50 and $3 values. Thursday Special.... **$1.98**

Women's Strap Pumps, with gray suede trimmings. All this season's styles, with low military or Spanish heels, sizes 2½ to 7. Values to $5. Thursday Special **$2.35**

Odd Lot Women's Low Shoes, oxfords and strap pumps, in black or tan, sizes 2½ to 4 only. Thursday Special **79c**

Women's Kid Oxfords, medium toes, military heels, black, sizes 3 to 6. $3.50 value. Thursday Special **$1.50**

Basement

KNITTED UNDERWEAR

Women's Union Suits, silk lisle, ribbed jersey, summer style, sizes 40 to 44. $1.25 value. Thursday Special **69c**

Women's Vests, bodice style, in silk lisle ribbed jersey. Sizes 36 to 44. 59c value. Thursday Special **39c**

Street Floor

HOSIERY

Women's Silk Lisle Hose, full fashioned, in black, cordovan, navy blue. $1 value. Thursday Special **50c**

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, three seam back, light colors, also black and white. Slight irregulars of $1 grade. Thursday Special..... **59c**

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, black and cordovan. 50c value. Thursday Special **25c**

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MISCELLANEOUS

Men's Handkerchiefs, with colored corded borders. Thursday Special **19c**

Palmolive Shaving Cream, Thursday Special, **20c**

Face Cloths, slightly counter soiled. Thursday Special **7c**

Double Mesh Hair Nets, large cap shape, all shades except gray and white. Thursday Special ..... **12 for 39c**

Children's C.M.C. Garters, black and white; 39c value. Thursday Special **25c**

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GLOVES

Women's Silk Gloves, 2-clasp style, in white, brown, navy. $1 val. Thursday Special, **50c**

Street Floor

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Negligee Shirts, madras and percale, broken sizes. $1 and $1.50 values. Thursday Special **69c**

Men's Hose, black and brown. 16c value. Thursday Special **12½c**

Men's Soft Collars, broken sizes and styles. 25c value. Thursday Special **12½c**

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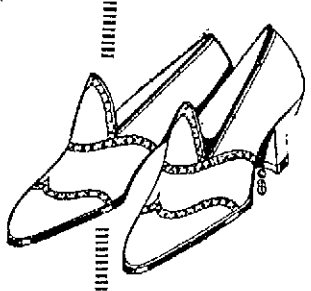

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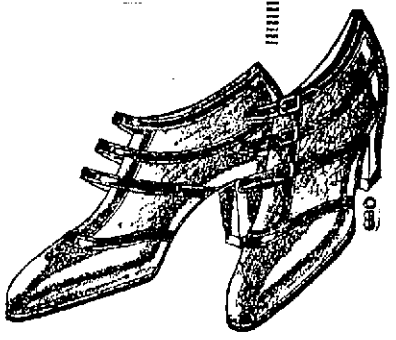

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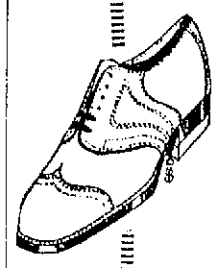

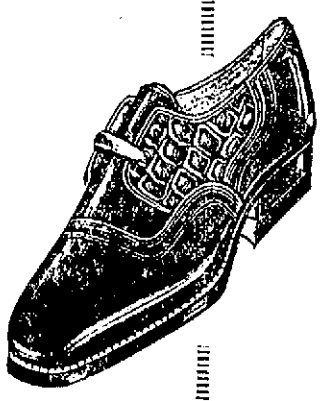

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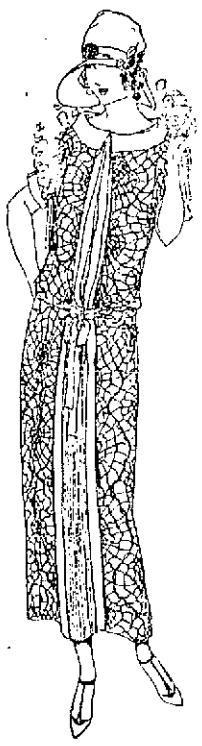

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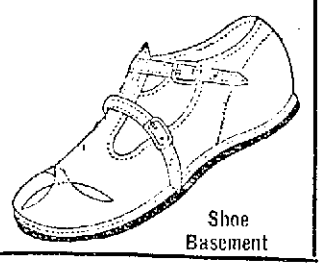

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INDICT MUMA AND RICKARD

Four Others Also Named for Conspiracy to Transport Fight Films

Muma Has Figured Prominently in Senate Investigations at Washington

NEWARK, N. J., May 21—Jasper Muma of New York, who has figured prominently in recent senate investigations at Washington, was among those indicted here yesterday by a federal grand jury with "Tex" Rickard, for conspiracy to transport fight films in interstate commerce, it was learned today from official sources.

Indictments were returned against four others whose names have not been learned and one corporation. Federal Judge Runyon received the indictments late yesterday after a grand jury investigation which started after testimony was given in Washington that the film of the Dempsey-Carpentier fight had been shown there in the home of Edward B. McLean, publisher. McLean was subpoenaed to appear here during the grand jury's investigation but it was later said he would not be called unless necessary.

The investigation has been in progress for nearly two months and witnesses were summoned from as far west as Oklahoma City.

Steps were being taken today by federal authorities for the issuance of warrants but it was intimated that this procedure might be delayed several days pending the location of several of those against whom the indictments were returned.

The Dempsey-Carpentier fight, promoted by Rickard, was held at Boyle's Thirty Acres, Jersey City. The government charges that in violation of the law, the pictures were transported from this state to other sections of the United States.

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EARLY NEWS FLASHES BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

President Coolidge tells republican members of senate foreign relations committee his position on world court, is unchanged, and committee members indicate desire to formulate plan of action in harmony with president's stand.

Right of women to voice in government of Presbyterian church in the United States and to serve on executive committee, is sustained by 64th general assembly at San Antonio, Tex.

Platform of American industry, presented to National Association of Manufacturers' convention at New York by committee of industrialists, calls for creation of world court, free from entanglements of League of Nations.

Council of Lawn Tennis association, British tennis governing body, adopts resolution forbidding players in international matches from writing reports of contests for press.

President Coolidge takes new chlorine gas treatment, discovered by chemical warfare service, to cure his cold.

Ten American women are presented at brilliant court at Buckingham palace, opening event of London's social season.

Prime Minister MacDonald plans to confer with successor to Premier Poincare during Whitsuntide recess, regarding adoption of Dawes plan.

TODAY'S CASES IN THE DISTRICT COURT

In district court this morning, Anthony Pypec of Bunker Hill avenue, was found guilty of assault and battery on his wife and was given a suspended sentence of four months in the house of correction. The assault, according to evidence in court, took place in a variety store in Lakeview avenue yesterday, when Pypec interfered with his wife as she was purchasing household articles. He called her names and struck her several times.

Isaie Fontaine, charged with nonsupport, was found guilty and given a suspended sentence of three months in the house of correction on condition that he contribute $7 a week to his family budget.

Sarah Chodes, illegal keeping, was continued until May 24, and Josie Sarachik, for a similar offense, was continued one month.

A charge of violating the milk law, preferred against Thomas McMaster, was placed on file with a finding of guilty.

FLAMES AND SMOKE ARE BELCHING FROM CRATER

WALSENBURG, Colo., May 21. Flames and smoke are belching from the crater of a volcano supposedly extinct for centuries near the Colorado line in New Mexico, according to automobile travelers reaching here from the south.

The eruption is said to be from a cone near the Raton pass. The travelers did not go near enough to ascertain whether lava or ash was being thrown from the old crater, but declared smoke was issuing from a fissure in the ground near Folsom, N. M.

GOLD STAR MOTHERS TO DEDICATE SCHOOL

PARIS, May 21.—The gold star mothers of New York state will dedicate on May 30 the school which they have built at Bony, near St. Quentin, on the old western front. Two hundred French war orphans will be taken on a special train to attend the dedication and a memorial service in the cemetery where are buried the men of the 27th division, who fell in this area fighting beside a British army corps. General Charles H. Sherill will make the dedicatory address.

REPARATION COMMISSION

PARIS, May 21—The reparation commission held a meeting today at which Austro-Hungarian questions were discussed. Among these was the subject of American credits for the restoration of Hungary.

Medals Presentd At The High School

Continued

ond, and Miss Blanche McShane, as the third most accurate Gregg shorthand writer.

The assembly this morning came as a surprise to students and teachers of the school, as it was arranged for after 5 o'clock last evening, and the presentation of medals was the first inkling the prize winners had of their success. Taken by surprise when called to the stage by Headmaster Harris to receive their prizes, all three managed to express their appreciation of the honors conferred upon them.

Miss Beatrice Gravel, who won first prize, is 16 years of age, a junior, and graduated from Notre Dame de Lourdes' school. The second prize winner, Mary Hogan, is a senior at the school, 17 years of age and a graduate of the Collinsville grammar school. Miss Blanche McShane is 17 years of age, a junior, and a graduate of the Abraham Lincoln school.

The contest was held yesterday afternoon in the shorthand department of the school under the direction of Orton E. Peach, head of the shorthand department, assisted by Miss Ida L. Samuels as checker and the Misses Annabelle Lowney, Mary Egan and Jean Shanks, all teachers in the shorthand department, as judges.

Five students from each of the shorthand classes were chosen for the contest at a preliminary try-out a week ago yesterday. Thirty-five entered the finals yesterday afternoon and after nearly two hours' grilling on word signs, phrases and sentence structure, all but eight had been eliminated by the judges.

A 50-word dictation test was resorted to to pick the winners from the eight remaining contestants. As a result of this test, Miss Gravel was chosen for first place, her copy being without an error, and Miss Mary Hogan was chosen as second. Third, however, was a tie between Miss McShane and Miss Louise Boyle. To break the tie, another 150 word dictation test was given and Miss McShane was named as third.

The contest created considerable interest among students of the shorthand department, over one hundred of whom waited in the lobby of the school until its conclusion. It was because of the great interest shown by these students that a decision was reached to announce the winners and present the medals at a general assembly of the school.

MEN ACCUSED OF COPYING WOMEN'S FANCIES

PARIS, May 21.—Men are accused by a woman fashion writer of "servilly following women's fancies" in the matter of attire. In support of this statement, she declares that as soon as women began wearing plaids, men's ties, traditionally sober in hue, assumed "jazz" shades that men would never have dared to display if women had not given them the lead.

Some men last winter copied the women's fad of bright colored scarfs by wearing batik neckwraps of bold design.

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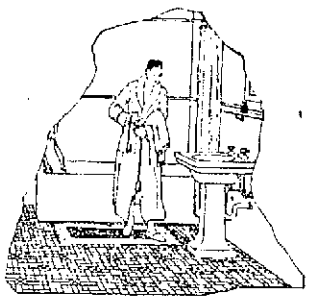

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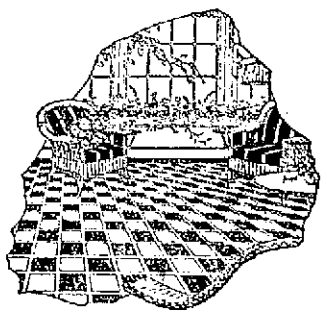

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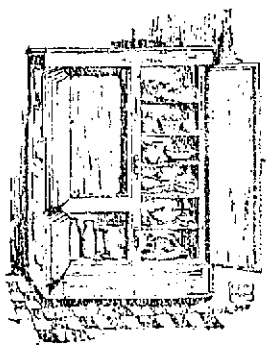

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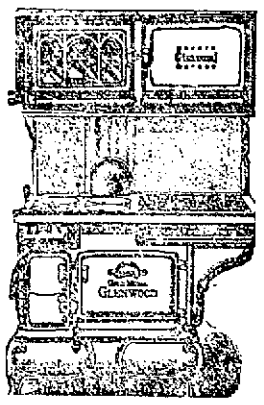

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COTTON SALES WEEK

Fall River has started a movement for a Cotton Sales Week with the purpose in mind of stimulating trade in cotton cloth as a means of relieving the depression in the textile industry. It is to be called "Cotton Cloth Barter Week" and while we do not see where the barter comes in, it undoubtedly conveys the idea that the sales will be followed by work in the mills as the primal object of the movement.

The plan provides for a big mass meeting at which some speaker of national prominence would deliver an address urging co-operation with the movement as a means of starting up the textile machinery. If the people buy the cottons, they will thereby lighten the supply held in storage by the various mills and thus make way for more active business. Evidently, Fall River is suffering as much from the depression as is Lowell, and if a Cotton Sales Week will prove beneficial in that city, then there can be no reason why it would not be equally so in Lowell. This is a matter which the Chamber of Commerce might well take up in the interest of the unemployed and of business generally.

MURDERS TODAY

Twenty-eight Americans will be murdered today if then 24 hours run true to average. That many are murdered every day—more than 10,000 a year. And these, mind you, are only the known murders. There must be thousands that are never discovered, particularly in out of the way regions. And an unknown number of people who are recorded by the police as having "disappeared" lie under the sod, victims of assassins.

Twenty-eight today! The news will tell you of only a few. Murder has become so common in the United States that it is of no more than local interest unless the crime has unusual angles or involves celebrities.

Statistics from other countries indicate that we lead in the percentage of murders due to robbery and other crimes. In order to prevent a child starting fires, you keep him away from matches. In this simple principle is the obvious way to lower the murder rate.

Poison used to be a favorite method of murder. It is comparatively rare now—because government has made it hard for the criminally inclined to obtain poisons, especially ones that leave little or no apparent traces.

The day is coming when the sale of firearms will be similarly restricted. With criminals virtually unable to buy pistols, and with a stiff penalty such as life imprisonment for illicit possession of a pistol, the murder rate would drop.

For the revolver is used in the majority of murders. Local restrictions against its sale are of little avail as long as crooks can buy revolvers from mail order houses.

Congress has the power to prohibit interstate traffic in pistols. That power should be exercised. A pistol should be sold to none except officers of the law. Householders could protect themselves with rifles or sawed-off shotguns which cannot be carried concealed through streets by the criminally inclined.

AUTO MILEAGE

Chairman Loring of the State Commission of Administration, the man supposed to be the watch-dog of the treasury, opines that 10 cents a mile is too much to pay for the use of an automobile in the service of the state. He favors 6½ cents and believes that is above the actual cost. We do not know what kind of automobile he would use for the purpose; but suppose a man uses his own auto regularly in the service of the state, would 10 cents a mile pay him for the wear and tear on the machine, the cost of tires, repairs, oil and gasoline? We do not think so. He might get by on that allowance for the first year or two years in the life of his car; but after that the cost of upkeep would be greatly increased. On fine roads used in favorable weather conditions, Mr. Loring's estimate might be all right for an inexpensive car, but under other conditions, it would be too low.

Suppose a Ford car is purchased at $500 and that it is used on the mileage basis favored by Mr. Loring. It would have to run 8,200 miles to pay for itself and by that time, and perhaps long before, even if run with the best of care, it would require considerable repairs. Apparently, Mr. Loring does not consider the original cost of the car, and yet he says the official who uses his private car for a distance of 10,000 miles in the service of the state, is entitled to a man owned car, presumably a Ford. Probably auto owners will not be able to beat the state very much on Mr. Loring's allowance.

TELEGRAPHING PICTURES

A new marvel in the progress of telegraphic communication has been announced by the American Telephone and Telegraph company in the success of the transmission of pictures by telegraph. The cut of Calvin Coolidge was secured for experimental purposes so that pictures of the republican convention might be transmitted to New York and other cities in a few minutes.

Wireless telegraphy for a time was considered the last word in the progress of the art, but if the transmission of pictures is successful, it will mark another great step forward in the inventions and discoveries that have enabled persons to converse practically between any two points on the earth's surface. The invention has been the result of long and careful labor and experimentation. It is a great scientific triumph and is probably but the initial step of developments even much greater along the same lines.

AGRICULTURAL DEPRESSIONS

Broadly speaking, the present situation in agriculture sought to be remedied, arises from the fact that agriculture was highly stimulated during the World war by the extraordinary demands for its products by Europe. Since the war, European agriculture has come back practically to pre-war production, excepting in Russia, but with Russia again in the world markets as an exporter.

The demands of the war upon our labor supply caused a curtailment in some branches of industry, particularly in construction work, with the result that there is now considerable activity in these lines in many parts of the country where business in general is progressing and industries outside the category of the textiles are moving along prosperously in about normal fashion.

The real situation in many farming districts today is that less farm production is now required and more labor is needed in other industries. Furthermore, extensions in farming activities are handicapped from the very first by the desire of laborers to obtain more wages in other industries, and the shift of workers from soil to factories, reported of alarming proportions recently, is undoubtedly still going on, as rural industrial experts emphatically testify.

But there is not the slightest reason to fear that all the farming lands of the country are going to be deserted or that agriculture is going into decay. Reflection will satisfy the most critical that long before the movement from the farms reaches any such alarming proportions, the prices of farm products will rise to a point that will soon reverse the situation.

NATIONAL RIFLE DAY

On the theory that a nation's greatest defense is the ability of its citizens to shoot straight, the whole country should be interested in National Rifle day, June 7. At least 100,000 Americans will participate in rifle tournaments.

The number should be 100 times as big.

You have only to consider Switzerland to appreciate the importance of widespread expertness with the rifle. Rifle shooting is the national sport of the Swiss. It is taught in the schools. There is a military saying that every Swiss man is a sharpshooter.

That is why Switzerland was not invaded during the war.

It is important to shoot straight and to think straight. With both accomplishments, no people is likely to have any reason to go to war.

TAX REDUCTION BILL

From various sources come the announcements that the passage of the bonus bill over the president's veto will cause the president to veto the tax reduction measure also, on the ground that taxes cannot be reduced as proposed, if the government has to finance the bonus law. Congress does not hold that view and if the measure be vetoed it will probably be carried over the veto even more emphatically than was the bonus measure. Then the government would be obliged to find the money somehow. Apparently, congress is not taking orders from the president on these important issues.

WORLD TOUR AVIATORS

The world tour of the American aviators has already achieved success in having made the first trip across the Pacific ocean and landed at the Kurile Islands and Japan. Unless unforeseen accidents interfere, their success in the remainder of the tour will be comparatively easy. It is expected that their plans for circling the earth in the air, will be accomplished without any disaster, at least all in hope so for the reason that the projected tour marks a new era in history, a step forward by which nations will be brought more closely together, communication made more rapid and mail service improved all over the world.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

The people of this city will be glad to find any evidence that Chief Saunders can offer to prove that the criticism of the fire department has been too severe and consequently unfair to the department and to the city. Our firefighters are as good as in any city similar to Lowell, but the equipment for some time past has been defective and is emphatically so at the present time. When one of the necessary motor vehicles that respond to fire alarms is unable to ascend even a moderate hill, then it is of little use for fire department purposes.

The lively hearing on the petition for a permit to run a bus line, recalls that for establishing a rival telephone company many years ago, public necessity is the only guide in such cases.

Memorial day is the next holiday to be observed and one of the most sacred because its prime object is to commemorate the memory of our patriot dead. That should be done with all due reverence.

Late meetings of the city council will continue until a time limit be set upon the speeches of parties who appear before the body for or against certain petitions.

This afternoon the high school student-faculty debate is broadcast from Boston. The time will soon arrive when the broadcasting can be done from local stations.

SEEN AND HEARD

A driver with no life insurance is neglecting his family when he admires the scenery.

Perhaps the quickest way to make your wife want a divorce is by talking about people the way she does.

Perhaps the greatest sport in the world is crossing the street on a busy day. All you need to play is one street, two legs, no head, and a few thousand autos. Very dangerous, but very exciting.

The cheapest way to hug a woman is by dancing with her. All other known ways are liable to cost ice cream sodas, alimony, picture show prices or something. But on the dance floor it is different. All you do is get introduced and say "Much obliged for knowing you" or something, then start right out and hug her with everybody looking, and she doesn't think you owe her anything at all.

A Thought

No legacy is so rich as honesty.—Shakespeare.

Eyebrow Ballad

"What a man Shakespeare was," said the man on the train. "What has aroused your admiration now?" inquired his seat mate. "You know he speaks of a woeful ballad to a lady's eyebrows," answered the other. "Well?" "Have you noticed the eyebrows lately?" "Yes." "Any ballad to one of them would naturally be woeful."

The Love Chart

"Courting a movie actress, eh?" "Yes, I am." "You don't seem any too happy. What is the state of her affections?" "I can draw you up a chart," responded the other. He was busy with pencil and paper for a few moments and then handed over his diagram, which read as follows: "She loves first—herself. Then in the order named—money, publicity, her poodle, her parrot, her art, me."

The Last Blow

Recently a tramp, taken up in a New York police court for drunkenness, gave his birthplace as Boston. "Yours," said the magistrate, "is a sad case. Yet you don't seem to thoroughly realize how low you have sunk." The prisoner struck his brow with a pained gesture. "Heavens," he exclaimed, devoutly. "I have stood many indignities, but to be sentenced by a magistrate who splits his infinitives. This is the last blow."

Wouldn't Be Polite

"These here song writers," declared Uncle Pennywise, "don't seem to care a hoot about etiquette or the ordinary procedure of life. There used to be one of them, for instance, who was always extending the invitation—Come where my love lies dreaming. Gal in hammock, I suppose, flowery bower, and all that sort of thing. Still, I never went with him to where his love lay dreaming. I didn't think it would be polite."

The Mending Basket

In and out the needle goes,
Mending all the family clothes—
A button off the man's best shirt,
A rent in ma's silk underskirt,
The children's stockings out at knee—
Well, life for most of us must be
Just a mending jamboree.

Relationships are broken, torn,
Mended again and bravely worn.
And love is new but once, I ween,
A bright dress, donned with shining mien,
Which marriage makes us wear about
Though we grow old and very stout
And all the seams must be let out.

The friendship which to youth is dear
Fits poorly life's maturer year.
Paternal pride bears many a patch,
Children are gloves that do mismatch.
Life's perfect garments are but few
And, when we cannot have the new,
We mend the old and make it do.
—Margaret W. Jackson in Farm Life.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

Chief Atkinson has requested the civil service commission to send him a list of patrolmen eligible to appointment as sergeants. There is a list of sergeants coming for promotion to lieutenant, but just when, nobody seems to know. The superintendent wrote to the civil service commission last week and is expecting to receive an answer soon. Meanwhile, the officers are on the anxious seat awaiting the chief's decision.

A runaway horse caused no little excitement in the vicinity of the square yesterday noon. Darting down Merrimack street at a perilous rate of speed, with a small boy mounted, the steed raced through heavy traffic without a mishap and was not brought to a stop until reaching High street. Luckily, the boy maintained his position aback the animal.

Charles Smith of Camden street Kenwood, has quite a record to his credit for recovering bodies from the Merrimack river. Last Saturday's recovery made his eighth. Mr. Smith's house is located along the river bank opposite Camden street on the Lawrence boulevard. His "back yard" almost touches the river, and as he spends much time out-of-doors, the opportunity of sighting objects in the river is ever present.

The selection of Comrade William A. Arnold of Ladd and Whitney Post, G.A.R., as chief marshal of the Memorial day parade, meets with unanimous approval. For several years, Mr. Arnold has been connected with the state and department as local superintendent and has made a lot of friends in his office at city hall. He is one of Lowell's best prominent Civil war veterans.

Among the many features on Sunday evening will be solo selections by Andrew McCarthy and James E. Donnelly of the city, John S. Kelley of Lynn and Thos. A. Quinn of Cambridge. The first two are well known and need no introduction here, but a word of the two latter may seem apropos. Mr. Kelley has a remarkable clear and flexible tenor voice much resembling that of John McCormack and in some registers equally rich and resonant. It is rather a surprise to some Lowell people that they had not hitherto heard Mr. Kelley in concert numbers. He certainly enchanted those who had not heard him before on his two solos given with such splendid effect. Mr. Quinn has also a fine voice, but of a very different quality from that of Mr. Kelley. He is an artist of what might be termed dramatic vocalism and he suggests the operatic stage in the same. Messrs. Donnelly and McCarthy are always favorites with Lowell audiences and always rewarded with a large share of well deserved applause.

The Lowell Memorial Auditorium has a seating capacity of 3000. Imagine the Auditorium filled to capacity 20 times and you will get some idea of the number of people who read The Sun daily, and 90 per cent of the 80,000 readers of The Sun take no other Lowell newspaper.

In China there is a strong movement among the new generation of girls against the custom of infant betrothals.

Tom Sims Says

When they sign a treaty in the Balkans it is usually just for the weekend.

Refusals to testify in recent government investigations does not prove there is honor among thieves.

Mail robber escaped in Chicago. Since they catch so few of them they should watch them more closely.

William J. Burns, the world-famous detective, has resigned. Being a good detective, of course he is baffled.

These are the days the commencement dress is given more careful thought than the commencement address.

You can tell spring by the increase in medicine advertisements.

It is a wise man who looks things over instead of overlooking things.

The centre of flower culture for perfume is in the Maritime Alps, so that may be why the stuff is so high.

Worry is a great thing. Many people would be idle half the time if they had nothing to worry about.

Rouge is supposed to be going out of style, which is the only way its use can be stopped.

Fat men don't stand the heat better than lean men, but they seem to sit it out better.

About the worst job on earth is selling cheap cigars and having to smoke the samples.

WILL BROADCAST HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE

Station WNAC, the Shepard Stores, Boston, offers a program at 4 o'clock this afternoon, that should prove of exceptional interest to local radio fans and students and faculty of the high school. The program consists of a debate between members of the Greenhalge Debating society and the school faculty and will continue for one hour.

The subject of the debate is, "Resolved: That women have done more to advance civilization than men." The affirmative will be upheld by the following members of the faculty: Morton D. Sturtevant, head of the English department; Edward Cornell, Spanish department head; and Miss Gladys Davis. The negative side will be taken by the following members of the debating society: Alphee Achin, Amos Flemings and Rosalie Greenbaum.

Miss Frances Masterson, coach of the debating society, will accompany the students. There will be no decision given.

Meeting of the City Council

Continued

man cars on the Lowell-Lawrence trolley if bus competition is permitted. C. J. O'Neill, as associate counsel to Mr. Hennessy for the petitioners, questioned Mr. Powers. Mr. Powers admitted under questioning that Trustee Crowley, Manager McCormick and Supt. Sayers had told the carmen, in meeting assembled, that they felt the carmen should protest.

"You invited the council last night to appear at your local?"

"Yes, just as you did at the Yorick club a week ago."

There was a roar of laughter at this gally as Mr. O'Neill took up the questioning. Mr. O'Neill asked if the councilors present were not asked to declare themselves. This Mr. Powers denied.

Parker F. Murphy of the Trades & Labor council spoke next. He arraigned Trustee Crowley as a man that "the Lowell labor men made—and he forsook them." He said Mr. Crowley had not appeared before his organization and would not be permitted in the hall. Mr. Murphy's organization is against the petition.

Manager McCormick

Maurice E. McCormick, district manager for the Eastern Mass. St. Ry. Co., spoke next in opposition.

Mr. McCormick based his plea on the old adage that great oaks from little acorns grow. He said it is "competition pure and simple—they take the other side of the river." He stressed the law of capitalization of the bus concern citing $179,500 in wages was paid here in Lowell and $16,600 in taxes here last year. "Our investment represents $4,500,000 in Lowell alone," he said. A wave of applause marked the close of Mr. McCormick's brief summary. He was questioned at length by Counselor Hennessy and Councilor Daly. It was 13 minutes after midnight when Councilor O'Neill and Councilors Sadler, Cosgrove and Lambert concluded their questionings. Mr. McCormick said 50 per cent. of the traffic on the Lowell-Lawrence line is through traffic.

Attorney Cummings

Fred A. Cummings of Lynn, attorney for the railway, and assistant to the trustees was the next speaker. He referred to Fred J. Crowley as "the best friend the working men ever had." Mr. Cummings talked for twenty-five minutes in which he attacked the statements of the petitioners and traced the resuscitation of the street railway system by the five trustees which he collectively eulogized. One-man cars he called the product of an unavoidable economic situation, superinduced by wage raises.

At 12.15 a. m. the hearing closed and the council took the matter under consideration.

Jury Jurors Drawn

Seven jurors were drawn by Councilor McFadden as follows for the June session of the superior court:

John H. Campbell, 53 Keene street, chauffeur.

William S. Johnson, 173 Starkpole street, baker.

George E. Burns, 28 Crowley street, clerk.

Joseph H. Jodoin, 73 Clare street, machinist.

Charles McCarthy, 18 Georgia avenue, proprietor.

John H. Corbett, 14 Burns street, provision dealer.

Patrick H. Brown, 950 Varnum avenue, brakeman.

Gas Probers Ask $300

Councilor Dickson moved for a $200 appropriation for the gas probe committee. President Gallagher said it was unnecessary and can be charge expenses. Mr. McFadden wanted to know where $300 is to be spent.

Councilor Fitzgerald said the committee conferred last night with Rep. Thomas J. Corbett relative to the hearing next Wednesday before the public utilities commission. Mr. Fitzgerald said that it is desired to hire counsel to fight what he characterized as "the present humbug rates."

"I'd ask what the city solicitor is for," said Mr. McFadden.

"The mayor's office has approved these rates. We want unbiased counsel. We don't think the city solicitor is unbiased."

Letter From Mayor

President Gallagher read the following letter from Mayor Donovan:

"Gentlemen—A hearing will be held, Wednesday, May 28th, before the board of public utilities relative to the revised schedule of rates recently made effective by the Lowell Gas Light company.

"It is advisable, in my opinion, that the city be represented at this hearing and inasmuch as it is quite probable that your committee, appointed to consider this question will not have had sufficient time and opportunity to study and consider the matter from all angles before this hearing is held, I am directing the city solicitor to attend this hearing and represent the city.

"I have instructed him to ascertain and report all facts which may be brought out at the hearing for subsequent presentation to the city council and to request the board of public utilities to reserve for the city council the privilege of filing its approval or disapproval at a later date, should it so desire. I suggest, also, that the city council at this meeting tonight vote instructions and permission to the special committee to attend the hearing.

"It would seem that such an arrangement will effectively save the rights of the city council should it deem it advisable to enter a protest against the present schedule of rates now in operation for the gas-consumers of this city.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN J. DONOVAN,
Mayor.

Didn't Know of Easy Access

"Is it the intent of the committee to attend the hearing?" asked Mr. McFadden. Receiving an affirmative reply he said he believes the committee should work with the solicitor. He said the committee was named to probe, not fight, gas rates. Mr. Dickson followed to say he did not know the committee had such easy access to the city treasury or he would not have asked the money. Mr. Dickson withdrew his order and the mayor's letter was filed.

More Jurors Drawn

Councilor Daly declined to draw seven jurors. Mr. Lambert drew:

Charles H. Burns, 84 Methuen street, barber.

John H. Curran, 32 Crosby street, clerk.

Eugene P. Sullivan, 84 Maple street, machinist.

Owen A. Monahan, 63 Orchard street, city messenger.

Adelard Payette, 20 James street, retired.

Joseph J. Allard, 116 Ennell street, storekeeper.

John C. Dunleavy, 415 Worthen street, laborer.

Other Hearings

William D. Regan, former city solicitor, appeared alone to sponsor the petition that Davenport Terraces, east and west, and Tyler park be designated as Tyler park and that house numbers be assigned in conformity by the city engineer. There were no objectors and the matter was taken under advisement.

Leave to withdraw was given on the petition of the Lowell Electric Light Co. for pole locations in Eleventh street, near Methuen street, a new petition conforming to the desire of residents there to be introduced later.

There being objections to the petitions of the phone company for pole locations in Cady and South Walpole streets, the petitions were referred to Councilors Moriarty and McFadden respectively for investigation and report.

WILL HOLD MAY PARTY AT LAKEVIEW PARK

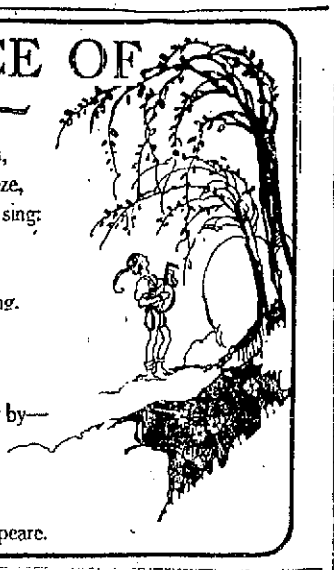
The annual May party of the Knights of Columbus will this year be held at Lakeview park, and the proceeds will be added to the building fund. The affair will take place on the night of May 23.

If present plans mature, the Knights will entertain one of its biggest gatherings on this occasion. Edward F. Slattery, Jr., lecturer of Lowell council, has charge of arrangements, and he is being assisted by the following committeemen: Frank J. Finnegan, John Kenney, William McGlew, John E. Hart, P.G.K., Frank Connelly, George Brennan, William Dugan, Edward Tighe, and Arthur Rogers.

Fund Committee Meets

At a meeting of the Building Fund committee in the Appleton Bank building last evening, Dr. Richard J. McCluskey was elected chairman of the committee, and Edward A. Callahan, secretary. It is planned to conduct an intensive drive from June 1 to June 10. Meanwhile, cheques may be made payable to the K. of C. building fund, care of the Washington Savings Institution.

INFLUENCE OF MUSIC—



Orpheus with his lute made trees,
And the mountain-tops that freeze,
Bow themselves, when he did sing:
To his music, plants and flowers
Ever sprung, as sun and showers
There had made a lasting spring.

Everything that heard him play,
Even the billows of the sea,
Hung their heads, and then lay by—
In sweet music is such art:
Killing care, and grief of heart,
Fall asleep, or, hearing, die.
—William Shakespeare.

A MONUMENT to NATURE

Hal Coolivan's DAILY POEM

An old oak tree in a front yard stands; it's a stately sight to see. Just one of nature's great expands that they labeled "old oak tree."

A century old is this growth of "gold" and it towers, as a leader should. The other trees call the oak tree bold, a respect for age in the wood.

When the sun of summer blazes trail, the old oak shows in green. The sturdy trunk leads to branches frail and to twigs that are long and lean.

When an acorn, many years ago, sprouted forth up through the ground, little, then, old folks who saw it know what a treasure they had found.

As an ancient landmark stands the tree that has seen the years roll by. Father Time but knows how long 'twill be till the oak will fade and die.

Just a monument to nature and a tip to you, as such. 'Twas in the open air the old oak grew, and the man who really gets his share of Mother Nature's touch has a better chance to live his full life through.

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TODAY AND THURSDAY SPECIALS

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BEVERLY POLICE CHIEF, J. E. HAYES, RESIGNS

BEVERLY, May 21—Citizens of this city were surprised last night to learn of the resignation of John E. Hayes as chief of the Beverly police department. The news of the resignation was made public at court in Newburyport, where a number of Beverly police officers and officers from other cities have been called before the grand jury in connection with an investigation of the Beverly police department.

The investigation is being carried on by District Attorney William G. Clark at the request of the Beverly board of aldermen. The grand jury is engaged in investigating rumors of police protection alleged to have been given to rum-runners passing through Beverly and to rum-runners who are said to be unloading their boats at certain Beverly wharves.

Certain slot machines are also under investigation. Some time ago, the police raided the bicycle repair shop of James McDonald of Broadway, where it is said that they seized three slot machines. These machines the court ordered destroyed.

Later, however, it was suspected that the court order had not been carried out, and the district attorney's office was asked to investigate. It is claimed that in the course of the investigation three slot machines were found in Salem, bearing the same numbers as those which the court had ordered destroyed. The investigation is still proceeding.

HARRY DUTTON, BOSTON MERCHANT, DEAD

BOSTON, May 21—Harry Dutton, president of the Houghton & Dutton company and one of the most widely known merchants in Boston, died suddenly at 5 yesterday afternoon, at his home, 195 Bay State road, Back Bay. He had been in poor health for some time, but the end, which was caused by heart disease, came most unexpectedly.

In addition to being one of the foremost merchants in this city, Mr. Dutton, who had been the active head of the Houghton & Dutton company for more than a score of years, was considered one of the most prominent merchants in this country. He had always been active in civic matters in Boston and was noted for his many practical philanthropies.

Born on July 4, 1853, at Hillsboro, N. H., the son of the late Benjamin P. and Harriett Hatch Dutton, he moved to Medford with his family when still young and received his early education in that place, after graduating from a military academy in Worcester. Mr. Dutton was married in 1877 to Miss Alice M. Houghton, daughter of the late Samuel S. and Mary C. Houghton. Mrs. Dutton died in 1919.

Three daughters survive, Mrs. Erving P. Morse of Boston, Mrs. A. P. Chase of Medford and Mrs. Arthur W. Morrison, also of Medford; also a half-brother, George Dutton of Brookline.

SAY COUPLE KILLED BY MOONSHINERS

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 21—Convinced that Leah Ellenberger, Hollidaysburg teacher, and Harry Ganster, Marysville high school senior, found shot to death on Blue mountain, near here last Saturday, were killed by mountain moonshiners, state police today spread through the hills in a search for signs of recent whiskey making activities.

The officers under the direction of Major Lynn G. Adams, head of the forces searched through wild stretches in a hunt for stills. One moonshine theory a story of operations carried on in a cave in the hills—was abandoned after a lengthy search last night. Their search was based on the belief that young Ganster in his earlier wanderings through the woods had stumbled upon a still or that last Friday in company with the girl, he encountered moonshiners who ambushed him and his companion as they prepared to start home from their flower-picking expedition.

Major Adams, convinced that three shots were fired, sought signs of the two bullets which missed the two young people who were killed by a single shot.

13 WOUNDED BY EXPLOSION ON SHIP

PARIS, May 21.—An explosion aboard the armored school ship Patrie at Toulon, wounded 13, four most seriously, says a navy department communique. The accident occurred in a turret during practice in loading a 16 centimetre gun. An investigation has been opened.

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THURSDAY SPECIALS

Bloomers, in white, flesh and orchid; 50c values, **39c**

Gowns, slip-on models, trimmed with dainty embroidery; $1.00 values **69c**

Princess Slips, lace trimmed, some with hip hem; $1.00 values **79c**

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Bungalow Aprons, in fine stripes and checks, with pockets and deep sash; $1.00 values **79c**

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A Sample Lot of Voile Waists, slightly soiled; values up to $1.50, at **69c**

Women's Gowns and Combinations, lace and embroidery trimmed; $1.25 values **89c**

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Small Percale Aprons, 15c values **9c**

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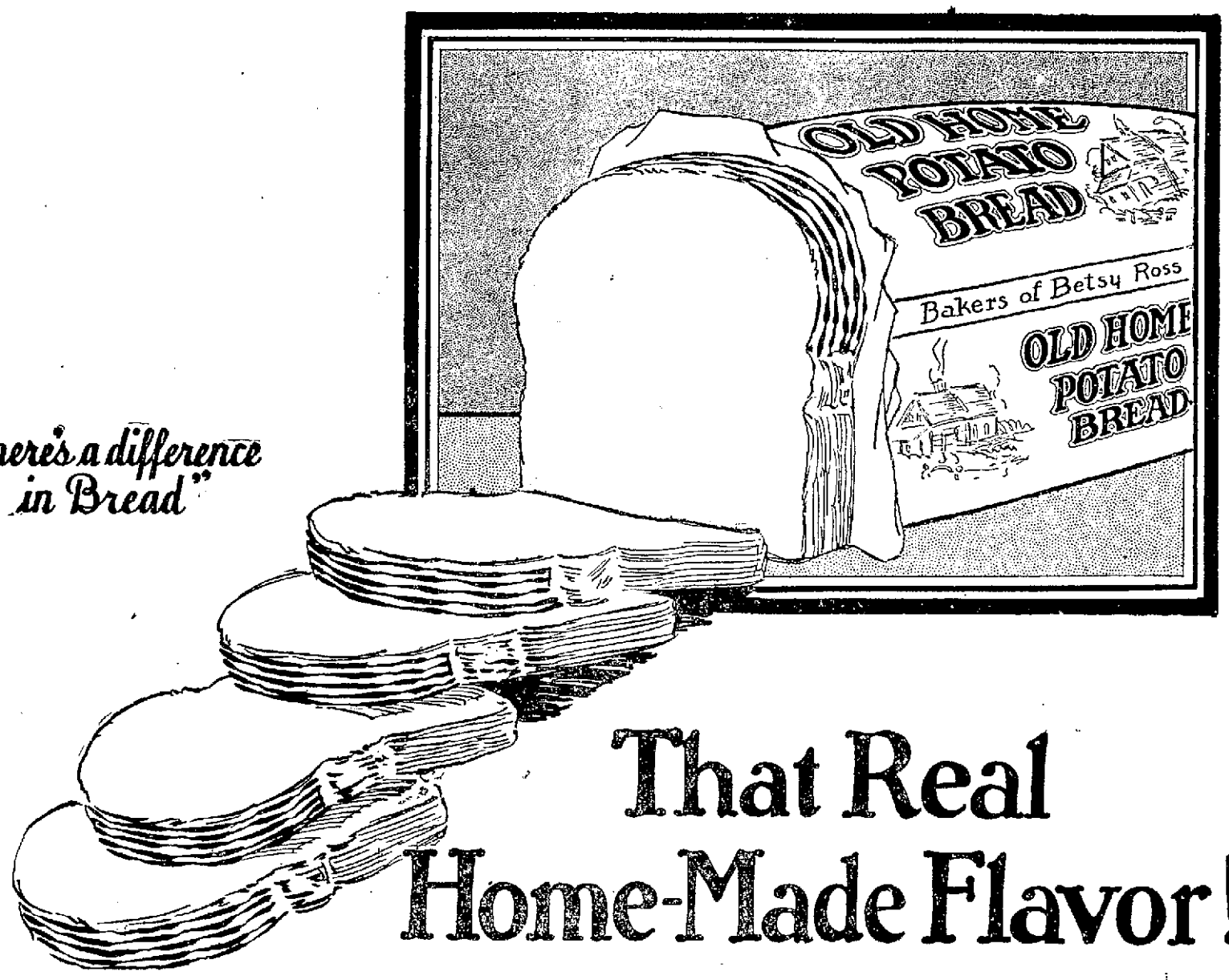

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Lowell Boy Wins in National Amateur Boxing Tournament--Butler Victory Protested

BUTLERS WIN OVER EAST ENDS IN CITY TWI LEAGUE GAME

Faulty Decision by Umpire McManus in Fourth Inning Gave Butlers Chance to Come From Behind and Win 8 to 7—East Ends Register Protest

An umpire's faulty decision in the fourth inning of the City Twilight league game between the Butler Independents and the Centralville East Ends last night gave the Butlers an 8 to 7 win over their rivals from Centralville. Arbiter "Banty" McManus was the offending party when he called Gendreau's clout to left field a fair ball and allowed him to round the paths behind two men who had previously occupied the sacks. The three runs which thus accrued gave the Butlers an opportunity to come from behind and go one better than their rivals. It is doubtful if any spectator on the common saw the ball the way the umpire did. It was obviously foul by at least 20 feet, and Manager Farrell of the East Ends was justified in continuing play under protest. The matter will be officially ironed out at a meeting of the league heads after tomorrow night's game. In all probability, the Butler win will be ruled out, and the contest replayed at a later date.

Aside from this mishap, the game was fairly interesting. Both teams were making their debut to twilight baseball, and while the portentous weather interfered somewhat with the playing caliber of the men, they gave their best, and the fans enjoyed it.

The opposing pitchers were "Bo" McMillen for the Butlers, and Phil Payton for the East Ends. The Butler twirler fanned 7 men, and the Centralville moundsmen five. Both were touched up for six safeties.

The East Ends were first at bat and likewise the first to score. Three runners registered in the initial stanza due to the ineffectiveness of McMillen, who walked four men. Eddie Rogers started the umpiring job behind the bat. His generosity to the East End batsmen accounted in some measure for the quartet of Annie Oakleys. Rogers gave way to McManus later in the game, and finished on the bases.

Joe Bradbury, the first East End batter let four bad ones go by and went to first on a walk. Gardner did likewise and Golden bunt-filed to Gendreau. There were three on when Mort Riley took a walk and then came Dickerson with a clout down the third base line and into deep left field that cleaned the bases. Dickerson got a triple on the whack.

The East Ends failed to score again in this frame, but they kept their adversaries on the anxious seat. With only one away, Dowd walked and "Skimpy" Ryan was hit by a pitched ball. But the frame was brought to a close when Kenneally and Payton whiffed.

The Butlers failed to connect in their half of the inning, but came through with four counters in the second. Duke Baron started it off with a walk and went to second on a wild pitch. Cozy Dolan went out, Dickerson to Steiney [illegible]. The next batter was George Baron, "Duke's" brother. He shot a [illegible] at Dickerson, and Duke started [illegible]. He made it safely when the [illegible] and third sacker heaved the ball [illegible] over Riley's head. On the next play Dickerson erred again when he heaved a ground-hit ball over Golden's head at first. Chase then connected for a pretty single and two men counted, [illegible] Chase coming in himself on Griffin's single to center.

The score at this juncture stood 4 to [illegible] in favor of the Butlers. It was increased two more in the third on a single that short by Duke Baron, a sacrifice by Dolan, an out by Bill Ryan and a [illegible] to left by George Baron.

The East Ends came back strong in the [illegible] and pushed three runs over [illegible] the team batting around [illegible]. Payton's double to right [illegible] one man was out. [illegible] did his walking act and was [illegible]. Two runners scored on [illegible] to left centre. [illegible] continued the hitting by scoring Riley on a single past short, and scored himself on an error by G. Baron.

[illegible] in the last half [illegible] walked and McMillen singled [illegible]. Gendreau then stepped up to the plate and caught hold of a [illegible]. The ball sailed with terrific speed in the direction of left field and landed [illegible] by [illegible] feet. Umpire McManus called it a fair ball and three runners counted. The East Ends objected to the decision, and after minutes of argumentation it was finally decided to continue play under protest. The game was called on account of darkness in the following inning.

The score:

BUTLERS

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Laflamme lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Griffin cf	1	1	1	0	0	0
McMillen p	2	1	1	1	0	0
Gendreau c	4	1	1	8	0	0
D. Baron 1b	2	2	1	3	0	0
Dolan rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
W. Ryan 2b	2	1	0	2	1	0
G. Baron 3b	2	1	1	1	0	1
Chase ss	2	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	19	8	6	15	3	1

EAST ENDS

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Bradbury lf	1	2	0	0	0	0
Gardner 2b	2	2	1	1	4	0
Golden 1b	2	1	1	4	0	0
Riley c	2	1	0	2	0	0
Dickerson 3b	2	0	2	1	1	3
Dowd ss	2	0	0	1	1	1
Kenneally cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
S. Ryan rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Payton p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Nichols c	0	0	0	3	0	0
McKenzie rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	18	6	6	12	4	4

Butlers	0	4	1	3	*—8
East Ends	3	0	0	4	0—7

Two-base hits: G. Baron, Payton, Gardner. Three-base hit: Dickerson. Home run: Gendreau. Stolen bases: Bradbury, Laflamme, Dickerson, Golden. Sacrifice hit: Dolan. Left on bases: East Ends 7, Butlers 5. Base on balls: off Payton 3, off McMillen 7. Struck out: By Payton 5, by McMillan 6. Hit by pitcher: By McMillan (S. Ryan). Wild pitches: McMillan, Payton. Umpires: McManus and Rogers.

TWILIGHT NOTES

The City Twilight league game tomorrow night will bring together Marie's Americans and Ricard's Belmonts.

Gendreau's hit last night was foul. He was a surprised man to find that it had been called fair.

Cozy Dolan, star of Louis Lord's Highland Daylight teams in the past, was in right field for the Butlers. He was scheduled to twirl, but was prevented by a lame arm.

McMillen, who pitched for the Butlers, had 15 strikeouts to his credit in a game last Sunday.

Phil Payton, in the box for the East Ends, is a former "L" man of the high school. He possesses a baffling assortment.

Skimpy Ryan was forced to retire from the game when he was hit by a pitched ball.

The Baron family possesses two good ball artists in Duke and George.

Chase, the Butler third sacker, will be remembered as a star of the Butler football team.

Third Baseman Dickerson of the East Ends is a neat fielder. He scooped a couple of hard ones out of the dirt last night, but his throwing was inaccurate.

The crowd was small owing to the uncertain weather.

In their next game, the Centralville East Ends will be seen in new and natty uniforms.

Mort Riley sustained a bruised finger while catching Payton's shoot. He gave way in favor of Nichols.

Gus MacKenzie took Ryan's place in right field when the former took to the bench with a lame shoulder.

Joe Bradbury, left fielder for the East Ends, is a brother of "Lucky" Bradbury now playing with the Bellevues. Joe is a consistent walker and will take the prize for free passes if he continues in his present stride.

FIRPO GETS OFFER TO BOX IN NEW YORK

BUENOS AIRES, May 21.—Luis Firpo, Argentine heavyweight, today announced receipt of a cabled offer through Hugh Gartland, his business representative for a bout to be held in the Yankee Stadium, New York city, on June 27 for the benefit of the milk fund, with Floyd Johnson or Fred Fulton mentioned as his possible opponent. He did not disclose the amount of the offer, which, according to the cable, probably could be deposited in Buenos Aires.

Firpo indicated that he was not interested in the offer.

Do you know Baseball? by Billy Evans

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Questions

1. Batsman has three balls and two strikes. The next pitch is a bad one, high and inside, close to the batter's face. The batsman ducks in order not to be hit with the ball. In so doing his bat fell to the ground. The umpire called him out.—N. E.

2. Does a batted ball have to touch an infielder or outfielder's gloved hand to be counted as an error?—A. W.

Answers

1. This play is a pure matter of judgment. Apparently the umpire decided the batsman struck at the wildly pitched ball. That could be his only excuse for calling him out.

2. Scoring base hits is up to the official scorer. When a player is only able to get one hand on the ball and that the ungloved one, the drive is usually scored a hit.

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Questions

1. If a batsman, after missing the third strike, starts for his bench and goes about 15 feet in that direction, then discovers the catcher has missed the ball, what are the baserunners' rights. In this case the batsman retouches home plate and runs to first base, which he reaches before the catcher can throw the ball to the first baseman. Would he be out or safe?—K. D. B.

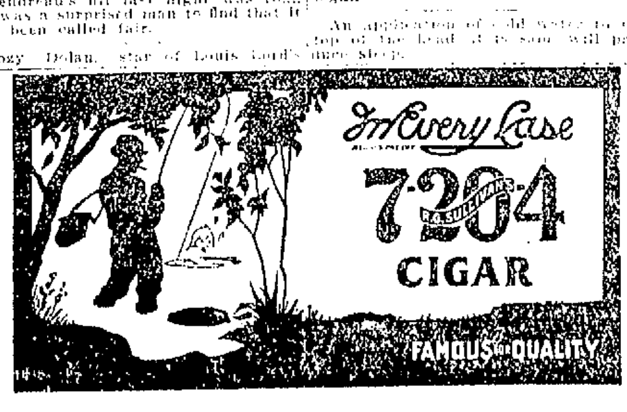
2. Is it possible for a pitcher to make a balk when there are no men on base?—N. S.

Answers

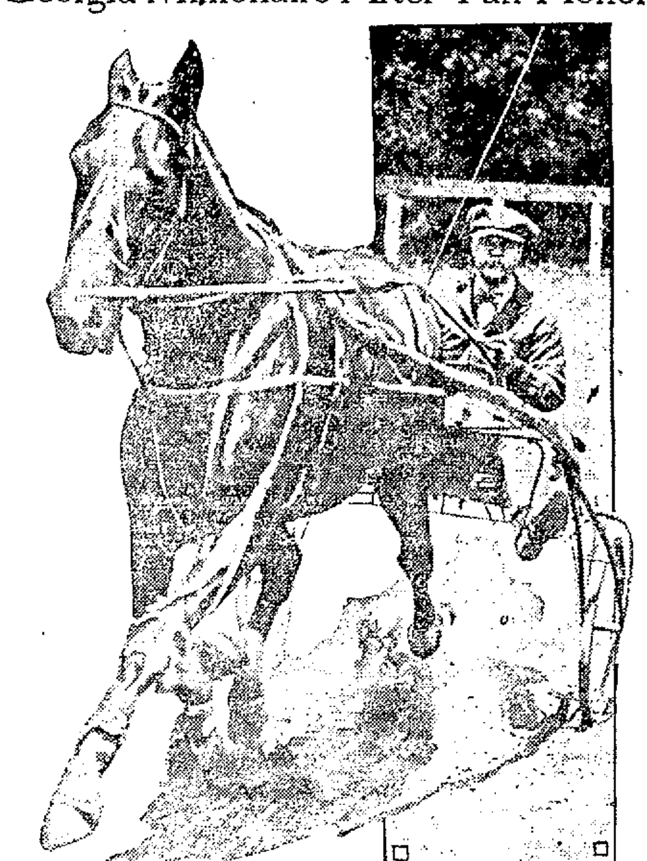
1. Such a play often comes up in a major league game. It is not necessary that the runner return and touch the plate when he sees the ball has gotten away from the catcher. He can start from wherever he is when he discovers the catcher. He can start from wherever he is when he discovers the catcher has erred on the ball. Major league umpires do not regard that he has run out of line in first starting for the bench, but simply has made the distance to first that much longer. In the case cited the runner was safe.

2. It is impossible to make a balk without any runners on the bases. An illegal delivery can be made, which would be called a ball even though it passed over the plate at the proper height, if the batter elected to hit such a delivered ball whatever happened would be regarded as legal.

An application of cold water to the top of the head it is said will produce sleep.



Georgia Millionaire After Turf Honors



ATLANTA, Ga., May 20.—Walter Candler, son of Dixieland's beverage king, and a millionaire in his own right, has turned to the harness turf for new thrills. Young Candler has a stable of sixty racers, many of which rank with the stars of the sport. One of his outstanding stars is Bogalousa, which he intends to send after major honors in Grand Circuit event this summer.

WESTERN MAIDENS ARE GOLF COMERS

BY JOE WILLIAMS

From out of the middle west may come the next big thriller in feminine golf, just as Edith Cummings of Chicago shot to the front last summer and fought her way to the national championship. Two foremost players among the mid-westerners are Miriam Burns of Kansas City and Louise Fordyce of Youngstown, O. Coincidentally, these two went to the finals in the western championship at Chicago last year, Miss Burns winning after a spirited struggle.

The Kansas City golfer has all the requisites to go far in the national tourney this year. Miss Fordyce is a better technician than the Missouri maiden; she hits a longer ball off the tee and is surer with her irons, but she lacks the stern competitive front that decides crises. Perhaps this will come with added experience. Like Miss Burns, the Ohio girl is a newcomer in tournament golf and her adventures in the higher realms have been limited.

Another Missourian who may create more than a passing flurry in the national this summer is Audrey Faust of St. Louis, now in England to compete in the British championship, the only American to invade, by the way. Miss Faust came forward with a rush last fall when she played great golf against Glenna Collett and Mrs. C. H. Vanderbeck. If she has any success at all abroad she is likely to return in a very confident mood and it may take a lot of spangled golf to beat her.

The women's championship this year is likely to resolve itself into a distinct intersectional feud between the east and the west. The east will have such dependables as Glenna Collett, Marion Hollins, Alexa Stirling, Mrs. W. A. Gavin and Mrs. Vanderbeck, all of whom repose legitimately on the championship list.

The main hope of the west will be Edith Cummings, the defending champion, backed up by the Misses Fordyce, Burns and Faust, not to forget Bernice Wahl of Wisconsin, Frances Halloran of Salt Lake and Dorothy Higbie of Chicago. Nor should one overlook Mrs. Dave Gaut who votes the straight democratic ticket down in Tennessee. She probably will have no objections to making it a three-cornered intersectional scrap.

GAME CALLED OFF AT GRANITEVILLE

The Abbot Worsted-Lynn Cornet game, scheduled for last evening at Graniteville was called off on account of wet grounds. With the cancellation of the game, Abbot fans were greeted with the disconcerting announcement that Al Davidson, the [illegible] pitcher, [illegible] for the [illegible] of his [illegible]. [illegible] McCarthy, [illegible] the loss of his star twirler, immediately got busy and will soon announce the signing up of two prominent hurlers.

It is with regret that the news of Davidson's retirement reaches the fans. He is easily the best pitcher seen in this vicinity in years and worked like a trojan in every start. His presence in the [illegible] will be [illegible] missed.

Nevertheless [illegible] the Abbots will [illegible] and will make their presence felt lively in all future games. That the Graniteville outfit has been deeply impressed the [illegible] is attested to in the following paragraph penned by a Hub baseball writer:

"Abbot is starting the other members of the league in the speedy manner in which it is getting away. The Abbots won their opening encounter from Lawrence, one of the strongest all round teams on the circuit. Whenever the team is billed to appear at any of the local grounds the fans flock to the pavilion with as much curiosity as if they were the champions. The Abbots are going right after the bunting from the start and it is going to take pitching strength of the strongest sort to quell this upstate outfit.

Four new islands were "born" last year, two off the coast of Cochin China, another off the Japanese coast and the fourth in the Bay of Bengal.

FINE WRESTLING CARD AT THE Y. M. C. A.

The final wrestling bout of the season and in many ways the best, was staged on the big mat in the Y. M. C. A. gym last night. In the 125 lb. class, Strangler Donnelly of the Indians retained the featherweight championship of Lowell. Donnelly recently defeated Young Lescard of Battery B in 12½ minutes. Last night he won over Kid Dube of the C. M. A. C. in 3 minutes and 55 seconds with a body rest and double arm hold.

Rudolph Regnt and Leo Sarresin put on a whirlwind battle. Both men showed a rare skill in getting and escaping from holds. It was declared a draw after 20 minutes of work. Both men are in the 160 pound class.

The semi-final bout brought together Kid Roberts, who is trying to come back after a long rest from wrestling and Butler Goodell of the "Y." Roberts is still middleweight champion of Lowell. For hard work and cleverness this bout was a hummer. It was declared a draw after 30 minutes of strenuous work.

The final bout brought together Jack Angelo of Battery B and Bob Johnson of the "Y." Angelo showed rare skill and had plenty of strength, making Bob use all his ring generalship to stave off defeat. At times Bob looked to be in distress but managed to pull out. Angelo is but 17 years old and has good prospects. Bob Johnson won the bout in 40 minutes and 30 seconds with a body rest and double arm lock. Johnson leaves Lowell Saturday and will not return until July when he goes to camp with Battery B.

The officials were: George Sarris, referee; C. E. Towne, timer.

This is swimming week at the Y. M. C. A. Co-operating with the National Safety council, Red Cross, Knights of Columbus, Boy Scouts and other national organizations the Y. M. C. A. is promoting "Learn to Swim" campaigns in an effort to reduce a large number of fatalities from water accidents. The Massachusetts Humane society has sent Mr. Jack Manning, formerly swimming coach of Harvard college, and during the war swimming instructor in the United States navy, to Lowell for the week to assist in teaching boys to swim. With the approval of the Lowell school board and the co-operation of the masters and principals of the junior high and grammar schools, the non-swimmers from these institutions come to the Y. M. C. A. for free instruction.

McGRAW ENTHUSES OVER RECRUIT PITCHER

By N.E.A. Service

NEW YORK, May 2[illegible].—"The most impressive game I have ever seen a recruit pitcher work."

So remarked Manager John McGraw of the New York Giants after Pitcher Wayland Dean had beaten Brooklyn 2 to 2 in 10 innings, in his National League debut.

It is questionable if any rookie pitcher ever turned in a more remarkable ball game in his first major league appearance.

In the first inning he was batted for two home runs, clean, hard drives into the left and right field bleachers at the Polo grounds.

Such a reception is enough to throw even a veteran off his poise, but [illegible] Dean in the least.

After a poor getaway he settled down, and for nine innings blanked the Brooklyn club, being returned the victor in the extra session.

[illegible] down into history. [illegible] struck for two home runs in the first inning, he allowed only two hits in the next eight session.

In the [illegible] final inning he again found himself in trouble. Two hits and a [illegible] in the extra inning filled the base with only one out, yet he kept the Dodgers from scoring.

"Winning a ball game like that should make Dean (if there was any previous doubt as to his ability)," is the way McGraw [illegible] up the kid pitcher's opening game.

MELLO WINS BOSTON BOUT

Lowell Boy Gives N. E. Fans First Real Chance to Cheer in Big Tournament

Defeats Rubin of Baltimore in Nationals — Dropped Opponent in First Round

BOSTON, May 21. Al Mello of Lowell gave the Greater Boston fans their first real chance to cut loose last night at the arena in the second night's bouts in the A.A.U. boxing championships, when he won the verdict over

AL MELLO

Albert Rubin of Baltimore in a bout in the 147-pound class. The Lowell boy's victory came after a series of disappointments in which New England boys had been forced to accept defeat.

Mello was given a good reception as he entered the ring against Rubin of the Baltimore Y.M.H.A. Mello dropped the oriole in the first round, shooting home his left with telling effect. In the second, while Rubin did better, his blows lacked the power behind the Lowell boxer's blows. It was the first chance the home folks had to cheer, as he gained the verdict and the applause was vigorous.

Mello will continue training for his appearance in the amateur bouts to be conducted by the Lisbon club at the Crescent rink on next Monday night.

The Nut Cracker by Joe Williams

The distinguished Billy Evans reports that Babe Ruth is choking his bat this year, the big, heartless brute.

Bat Siki was mangled in an auto smashup and it is feared he will never be able to fight again, thank goodness.

Apropos of nothing in particular, Mr. One Punch O'Goofty observes that no girl ever wore cotton stockings because she wanted to.

With all the class withdrawn, the Kentucky Derby looked like the Yanks without Ruth or a hip without a flask.

We don't know whether Dave Danforth of the Browns monkeys with the ball or not but he certainly makes monkeys out of the other teams.

Race bettors dropped $2,000,000 in the winter books without getting a run for their money and now they know what a freeze-out game is.

It is not surprising to hear that vegetable grow on Mars. You find some awful tomatoes wherever you go.

The harrowing tennis war still rages and at press time Bill Tilden appeared to be leading by seventeen columns.

Mons Carpentier landed in New York the other day. There is no telling where he will land the day he fights Gibbons.

America is sending 25 fencers to the Olympics, which is just 25 more than we thought were in this country.

16 SURVIVORS DUE TO REACH PORT TODAY

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., May 21. —Sixteen survivors of the steamer Orinoco which foundered off Point Aux Mines Sunday, are expected to reach here today on the tug Gargantao, according to fragmentary wireless despatches. Among the survivors is one woman, Mrs. George I. Pool, the stewardess.

The survivors, after seeing their captain, Anthony L. Lawrence, Chief Engineer Joseph Wurst, a wheelsman and two sailors go down as they fought a 60 mile gale on Lake Superior Sunday night, made their way to Montreal island where their signal fires attracted the attention of the crew of the Gargantao. Two bodies were recovered by the tug, according to wireless reports.

GIANTS HAVE WON BUT THREE OUT OF 13 GAMES--NOW IN THIRD PLACE

National League Champions on Verge of Being Pushed Out of First Division by Ambitious Robins and Braves—Beaten Yesterday by Pirates

NEW YORK, May 21. Followers of the Giants may invoke the new long distance photograph to determine what has happened to the National league champions since they left the Polo Grounds.

When last seen here, McGraw's team was proud in a secure league leadership and resplendent with two absurd easy victories over the Phillies in one afternoon. Since then they have won only three of 13 games, and are now in third place, only one and one-half contests away from fifth, and in immediate danger of being shoved out of first division by the ambitious Robins and Braves.

"The most unkindest cut," a 12 to 3 defeat, was inflicted by their most bitter rivals, the cruel Corsairs, at Pittsburgh, yesterday. Wayland Dean and Ernie Maun, styled by training camp reports as the saviors of the Giant pitching staff, and the two apples of McGraw's eyes, were beaten from the box—Dean for the third time in as many starts. Jonnard, who followed, was assaulted for four runs in the last inning.

Cuyler, a Pirate rookie, stole home. Wright, the new shortstop, handled 14 chances faultlessly. Meadows, a spectacled twirler, tamed the three-time bullies of the league and the particular foes of the Pirates in previous seasons.

The Cubs beat Philadelphia, 7 to 4 in the only other big league contest not postponed by rain or cold weather yesterday. The win advanced the victors to second place, one-half game ahead of the Giants and the same distance behind Cincinnati.

Vic Keen, rookie who flashed a two-hit victory last week, held the Phillies to five blows while his mates made 11 off Glazner and Betts. The Phils, though frustrated, were not futile. Three of their five hits were home runs by Sand, Walker and Mokan. Sand also led a triple and the last was a double by Ford. Grimes the Cubs hit his fourth homer.

HOW THEY STAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pts.
New York	16	9	.640
Boston	15	10	.600
St. Louis	15	11	.577
Detroit	14	13	.519
Cleveland	12	13	.480
Washington	12	15	.444
Chicago	11	14	.440
Philadelphia	9	18	.308

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pts.
Cincinnati	16	11	.593
Chicago	18	14	.563
New York	16	13	.552
Brooklyn	14	14	.500
Boston	12	12	.500
Pittsburgh	14	15	.483
St. Louis	11	16	.407
Philadelphia	9	15	.375

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

All games postponed—Rain.

GAMES TOMORROW

Detroit at Boston.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.
St. Louis at Washington.

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Philadelphia at St. Louis.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Bunker Hill Juniors would like to hear from the National Indians Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. They would play them for a 75-cent ball on the South common. If challenge is accepted, answer through this paper.

The Highland Tigers are anxious to hear from any 1[illegible]-14-year-old team. Call 5725-M and ask for Dan.

The Silver Stars, a newly organized team consisting of Scanlon, Curtin, McGowan, Purcell, Riley, Welch, Fielding and others, will line up against the strong Belvidere Tigers at Shedd park next Saturday. The team is a 12-14-year-old outfit. For games, call 1152-W and ask for "Tom."

The Harris Pets, who claim the 13-14-year-old championship of the city, would like to play the American Juniors for a purse of money. Games are also wanted with other 13-14-year-old teams. Call 3008-M and ask for Honky.

The Belvidere Pirates claim they were not defeated by the Methuens, as the game had to be stopped in the fourth inning because of lack of bats. The Pirates were forced to play with but five members of their regular team. They are ready to arrange for another game with the Methuens.

This evening at Washington park, the Unities will meet the strong Dixon Shu Fix team. The Unities will use: Plouffe, Coupe, White, Ela, Sylvester, Sullivan, Cornell, Beales, McInnis, Kelley and Welcome.

The Chestnut Warriors defeated the Acre nine, 10 to 2, on the North common Sunday afternoon. The pitching of Donoghue and the fielding of McMahon featured the game for the winners, while the pitching of Cox was the outstanding feature of the losers. The Chestnuts have changed their name to the Junior Holy Name team and will meet the Acre nine at Shedd park next Sunday. Games are wanted with 14-15 year-old teams, the Sacred Hearts preferred.

Last Sunday afternoon on the South common, the Tyler A. C. Juniors met and defeated the strong Thorndike A. C. by the score of 5 to 1. The fact that the score was low serves to show how evenly matched were the contesting teams. The features of the game were the hitting of Meaney and Lindsay, the fielding of Shaughnessey and the pitching of Lindsay, who had 13 strikeouts to his credit. The Tyler team is composed of Burns, Shaughnessey, Lindsay, Shinners, Comer, Meaney, Lester, Hines, Tarpinian and Markarian. Games are wanted with 15-16 year-old teams.

The Wanetas proved that they were afraid of the Cardinals instead of the Cardinals being afraid of them when they refused to show up for their scheduled game Sunday. A game for tomorrow is wanted with the Hustlers. Call 5922-X.

The Hancock Stars would like to meet the Methuens or the Belvidere Pirates on the North common next Sunday. Call 6635-J and ask for Fred.

The Eagles challenge the Young Tigers or any other 10-12 year old team. The lineup includes Conway, Burns, Lynch, Hogan, Archibald, Moody, Ryan, Clark and Moran. For games, call 4213-M and ask for Eddie.

All former members of the Kid Rovers and the Highland Cubs are asked to report at the corner of School and Branch streets at 6 o'clock this evening.

The Grand A. C. defeated the Belmonts of Lawrence at Durkin park Sunday by the score of 16 to 8. Heavy hitting featured the game. Curtis, Green, Byers and Banks slapping the apple on the nose for the winners. The winning lineup was: Greene c, Sandler p, Shapiro 1b, Banks 2b, M. Banks ss, Snider 3b, Curtis lf, Byers, Weiss, Doyan cf, Burns, Byers rf.

OPEN-AIR TOURNAMENT

Laurence S. Ayer Post, V. of F. W. will conduct an open-air tournament at the baseball park in Fitchburg Saturday, May 24. A big entry in the five classes has been received. The bouts are sanctioned by the N. E. A. A. U.

PITCHES FIFTEEN OPENERS

Walter Johnson for 15 years has pitched the opening game at Washington and been victorious in a majority of the battles. Johnson, who is in his 18th year in fast company, intends to retire from big league ball if he is able to buy a Pacific Coast League franchise.

OLD POP GEERS AFTER NEW RECORD

BY BILLY EVANS

Baseball has its illustrious veterans, the Speakers, the Johnsons, the Cobbs.

The ring game had its remarkable ancients, the Fitzsimmones, the Brittons, the Killeens.

Many other sports have produced notables whose enduring qualities keep stride with their blazing genius.

But the most astonishing veteran of them all—the great, great-granddaddy of the sport world, is Pop Geers, 73 years of age, and 50 years in the harness.

Did you ever stop and think that Pop was training and racing horses in Tennessee not so long after General Lee signed those immortal papers at Appomattox court house, and a couple of lifetimes before many active participants in sports today were born?

A story of Pop Geers' life on the harness turf would be a story of the Grand Circuit, since the days of the Grand Quadrilateral Trotting association, beginning in 1871.

What a world of speedsters his name has been associated with! Belle Hamlin, Robert J., Direct Hal, Napoleon, Direct Etawah, Dudie Archdale, Billie Buck and scores of others.

Now Pilots Fastest Horse of All Time

Is it not fitting that the fastest harness horse of all time, Peter Manning (1.56 3-4), should now be in his stable along with Sanardo (1.55 1-2), one of the gamest pacers that ever looked through a bridle?

As a compliment to the association, Pop agreed to ship to Fremont, O., this month and start his 1924 campaign at the little half-mile track in the Ohio Short Ship circuit.

His schedule calls for a few Grand Circuit engagements this season but he will confine his efforts largely to exhibitions with the two champions. It is a combination of pleasure and profit and through them he has been able to eliminate much of the worry that is coupled up with the conduct of a big racing stable.

This should not be taken to mean that Pop has lost any of his cunning as a reinsman, because he can rate one as well as ever and knows how to "reef 'em" through the stretch.

Indeed, it is whispered that the venerable Tennessean has made a small wager, involving some choice Havana smokes that he will set a new world's record this year.

TIMELY TIPS TO AMATEURS

SAYS EDDIE ROMMEL,
Pitcher, Philadelphia Americans

If you would be a successful pitcher, develop a change of pace the moment you have mastered the fundamentals.

There are various definitions of a change of pace. My thought is that it is the ability to slow up on the batter, using the identical motion with which the fast ball is thrown.

Change of pace depends upon three things, the development of a slow ball, a half-speed ball and control. Without control a change of pace is worthless.

I am often asked if I think a pitcher should develop a freak delivery, because of the success I have had with a freak slow ball.

If a pitcher possesses control, he is in a position to experiment. If he lacks control it is a sad mistake to try to invent a delivery that is different.

LEWIS MEETS GARDINI

PHILADELPHIA, May 21.—Ed (Strangler) Lewis of Kansas City, heavyweight wrestling champion, will defend his title here tonight, in a match to a finish, the best two out of three falls, with Renato Gardini of Boston.

This will be the second bout between the two, their first meeting here on April 8 resulting in a draw, with one fall credited to each.

AMATEUR BOXING
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Co-Ed Marries Athlete

PALO ALTO, Calif., May 20.—"Twixt love and loyalty," might have been the title of the romance of Norman Dole, Stanford athlete, and Janice Manning, University of California student. As usual, love won. Her problem was this: If you see the man you love scoring points against your alma mater, what should you do? "Marry him; then cheer for your husband," was her answer. Thus it happened that Dole and Miss Manning were secretly married not long ago, this culminating a romance which had started in childhood days in Riverside. Dole is a quarter-miler of note. Also a footballer.

PLAYER-WRITER RULE TO BE AIRED

CHICAGO, May 21.—Both sides of player-writer rule of the United States Lawn Tennis association will be aired here tonight at a meeting called by J. C. Stewart, president of the Western association. George W. Wightman, president of the national association, and other officers will present the side of the organization and William T. Tilden, II, national champion, will state his side of the controversy.

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REAFFIRM BELIEF IN VIRGIN BIRTH

AUSTIN, Tex., May 21.—After adopting reports expressing "uncompromising opposition" toward "so-called liberalism as taught by self-styled modernists" and dealing with prohibition enforcement and Sunday observance, the 94th general assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian church adjourned late yesterday to meet the third Thursday in May, 1925, in Nashville, Tenn.

The report of the committee on education dealt with the question of fundamentalism, briefly but strongly reaffirming belief in the Virgin birth of Christ and the origin of man as told in the book of Genesis.

MISS HOLLINS MEETS MISS ORCUTT

GARDEN CITY, N. Y., May 21.—Miss Marion Hollins, former national champion, who outclassed the field in the qualifying and first rounds of the women's Metropolitan golf tournament, will meet Miss Maureen Orcutt, school girl star of Haworth, N. J., regarded as her most dangerous opponent, in the second round today.

Other pairings are: Miss Rosalie Knapp of Westbrook vs. Miss Marie Janney of North Hempstead, L. I., Miss Elize McMahon of Scarborough vs. Mrs. F. E. Dubois of Rye, N. Y., and Mrs. N. M. Toerge of Nassau, L. I., vs. Mrs. J. L. Anderson of Cherry Valley.

The grizzly is the most keen-minded species of all bears.

KENNEL CLUB PREPARING FOR BIG SHOW

Lowell Kennel club board of governors has appointed the following stewards to assist judges at the June 12 A. K. C. show, scheduled to be held in the newly-remodelled andrefurnished Casino on Thorndike street: Fred Bassett, Joseph Foley, John G. Mackenzie, George Camp, William Mell, and Miss May Russell.

Premium lists and entry blanks were distributed at last night's meeting of the directors. The prize list is one of the best offered by any club in this vicinity. Nearly $1,000 in cash prizes and trophies constitute an attraction that is expected to bring to Lowell the very best dogs in the country. The name of Thomas Joyce, Middleton, Mass., has been added to the official list of judges. Mr. Joyce will judge foxhounds and beagles and it is expected that he will see a wonderfully large entry at the coming show.

Exhibitors who expect to make entries at the Kasino on June 12, must have papers filed by Monday, May 26, so the entries can appear in the official catalogue. In order to accommodate local fanciers, arrangements have been made to take entries at No. 12 Bridge street, Friday night, Saturday afternoon and night and Monday night following. Competent club members will be on hand to assist those who are not acquainted with the make-up of the June 12 show entry forms.

Premium lists can be obtained at Bell's bakery on Bridge street, or at Ricard's jewelry store on Central street.

Lowell Kennel club has issued thousands of brilliant, 60-page premium lists and distributed them far and wide. They are handsome in every detail, with stout covers of Robin's egg blue in novelty shading. The program announcements also contain the names of the club officials and the list of show supervisors, also a column devoted to praise of the popular Kasino that is an ideal spot for the benching of an A.K.C. show in every particular.

Two of the busiest men today in Lowell circles of the well known canine, are President William H. Rigby and active press agent Frederick G. Humphries, who are leaving no stones unturned, etc., to make the 1924 annual licensed dog show—the second annual—a wonderful success.

VETERAN STAR UNDER KNIFE

Stricken suddenly, Rube Marquard, veteran lefthander of the Boston Braves, was compelled to undergo an operation for appendicitis the other

RUBE MARQUARD

day, and will be lost to his team for six or eight weeks, if not longer. Marquard has been pitching in the big leagues for thirteen years but is still a star despite his long term of servitude.

Cultivation of semi-arid lands does not cause any appreciable difference in the rainfall in those regions, according to the records of the department of agriculture.

Billy Evans SAYS

Babe Ruth is nothing if not original.

Babe became baseball's greatest idol because of his ability to hit the ball farther than any other human being.

Sportdom likes the athlete who packs the punch in any line of endeavor. Ability to hit home runs made Ruth.

Last season, Ruth, although failing to smash any home-run record, did break the season's base-on-balls figure.

Passing Ruth in the pinch—not giving him a chance to hit when a home run might change the complexion of the old ball game——got on the big fellow's nerves.

The Babe tried to cross 'em up by resorting to the bunting game, and met with fair success.

In an interview from the Yankees' southern training camp this spring, Ruth was quoted as saying he was going to pass up the strategy this season and go back to hustlin' them again.

Apparently Bambino has suffered an early change of mind. While he is still taking his healthy swing on most occasions, he is also choking up his bat against certain kinds of pitching, in an effort to hit into left field.

In the parlance of baseball, Ruth is known as a dead right-field hitter. He will probably drive eight out of ten balls to that field.

With this knowledge, the opposition play for him accordingly, and rob him of many a hit because of the peculiar defense essayed with him at the bat.

In the infield, the first baseman moves over to the foul line, the second baseman plays where the first baseman is regularly stationed, the shortstop is almost directly back of second, while the third baseman moves over to the shortstop's usual position.

The outfield shifts along the same lines used by the infield.

The pitcher tries to so work on Ruth that he will pull to right field.

This peculiar shift with Ruth at bat leaves a big space for him to hit in left field. In reality there is no left fielder with Ruth at bat. Now for the strategy.

Ruth, a natural right-field hitter, is attempting to cross the opposition by hitting into left field.

It is apparent that a short fly ball, dropped just out of the infielder's reach in left field, would always be good for at least two bases.

Ruth essays to hit into left field on all balls pitched out side, the system used when the pitcher isn't very anxious for him to take a cut at the ball.

In a recent game with Chicago, with the crafty Thurston pitching against the Yankees, Ruth reached out and seemed to merely push at a badly pitched ball. It dropped into the left-field bleachers for a home run—one of the very few he has made to that field.

As the ball dropped into the stand, Catcher Ray Schalk turned to me and said, "That's the first home-run bunt I have ever seen."

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TO STIMULATE INTEREST IN SALVATION ARMY

NEW YORK, May 21.—Evangeline Booth, commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, leaves for a seven day motor trip in Connecticut and Massachusetts today, accompanied by 12 automobiles and two bands. Her purpose is to stimulate interest in the work of the Salvation Army in the two states.

Miss Booth will start her addresses at South Norwalk, Conn., and Bridgeport, Conn., and will make 20 open air speeches in all finishing at Holyoke, Mass., on Tuesday, May 27. The itinerary, which is in charge of Col. William A. McIntyre of Boston, includes Westfield, Springfield, Northampton, Amherst and Holyoke, Mass.

50,000 CLOAK AND SUIT WORKERS TO STRIKE

NEW YORK, May 21.—The joint board of the cloak and suit trades meets tonight to prepare for a threatened strike of 50,000 cloak and suit operatives on June 1. The strike became imminent yesterday when negotiations between officials of the International Ladies' Garment Workers union and the Cloak, Suit and Dress Manufacturers' Protective association were broken off.

EARLY DECISION ON THE REVENUE BILL

WASHINGTON, May 21.—An early decision by the conferees on the revenue bill was indicated today. Chairman Smoot of the senate group having announced that they had progressed to a point where action must be taken on the major provisions.

Renewed contests over various tax reduction proposals are in prospect in both chambers when the conference report is received but leaders of both parties have indicated that if the conference's action is approved by a majority of the conferees, no serious fights will be made on the floor.

Agreement had been reached last night on most of the provisions in the bill except the income tax schedule, the subcorporation imposing a levy on undistributed profits, and the proposal for full publicity of tax returns.

While doubt exists as to the attitude of President Coolidge toward any tax reduction next year in lieu of enactment of the bonus law, administration leaders are bending every effort toget the bill in line as nearly as possible with administration views.

TO CONTINUE PARIS-TO-TOKIO FLIGHT

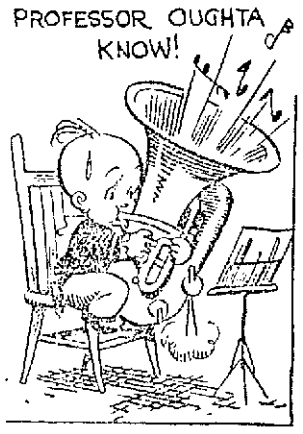
SHANGHAI, May 21.—(By the Associated Press) Captain Pelletier D'Oisy, French aviator, who damaged his plane yesterday in landing here, has overcome his disappointment at the interruption to his projected flight from Paris to Tokio and is considering seriously the offer of a Chinese plane for continuation of his flight.

The offer was made yesterday by General Ho Fen Lin, military governor of Shanghai. If D'Oisy accepts he will proceed toward Tokio within a week.

A survey of the situation reveals that there are available only what D'Oisy terms reconnaisance airplanes but he believes that one of them, a Breguet, is capable of carrying him on if his journey is rearranged into shorter stages.

LITTLE JOE

A COLLEGE PROFESSOR SAYS THERE'S NO RELATION BETWEEN POVERTY AND CRIME!! WELL, A COLLEGE PROFESSOR OUGHTA KNOW!



SERMON ON WOMANHOOD

Rev. William H. Grant, S.T.L., formerly of St. Peter's church, this city, and now pastor of St. Mary's church of Ayer, delivered an eloquent sermon on "Womanhood" at the novena services at St. Columba's church last night. Rev. Thos. P. Crawley of St. Mary's church, Brookline, will be the speaker this evening. Tomorrow evening the novena will come to a close with special services. Rev. John J. Powers, pastor of St. Columba's church, will deliver the closing sermon.

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Seven Sardine Factories Taken Over by New Company in Maine

LUBEC, Me., May 21.—Seven sardine factories, including two in Lubec, four in Eastport and one in Robbinston and several hundred thousand dollars worth of stock, all comprising the property of the Seacoast Canning Co., with value of more than $1,000,000, are to be taken over by a new company headed by Robert J. Peacock and comprised of local sardine men and capitalists. The head office will be in Lubec.

About 1500 persons will be employed by the company as soon as fish become plentiful.

PAPERS PASS IN REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Preliminary papers have been passed through the office of R. M. Humphrey, real estate dealer, for the sale of a modern 10-room house at 15 Belmont street by Alice Wilder to Sadie D. Caton for approximately $9000. Included in the transfer is a two-car garage and 6000 square feet of land.

Mr. Humphrey also reports that preliminary papers have been signed for the sale of a bungalow and garage at 187 Ennell street. John Blackie is the grantor in this transaction and Annie J. Finnegan purchases for occupancy. The price was about $5000.

Preliminary papers have also been passed in Mr. Humphrey's office for the sale of a seven-room semi-bungalow at 49 Livingston avenue. W. Blake Irving is the purchaser and Emma J. McCabe the grantor.

FEW HELPED BY MELLON TAX REDUCTION PLAN

(Special to The Sun.)

WASHINGTON, May 21.—It was announced here today by the democratic national committee that out of a total of 6,662,176 persons filing income tax returns in 1921, only 6109 would have benefited by the Mellon tax reduction plan as against 6,656,067 by the democratic (Simmons) plan. The figures upon which this statement is based were compiled from the official statistics of the treasury department.

In Massachusetts, only 505 taxpayers would have benefited under the Mellon plan as compared with 387,937 under the democratic plan; in Connecticut, 9 as compared with 123,173; in Rhode Island, 103 as compared with 47,974; in Maine, 25 as compared with 41,372; in New Hampshire, 17 as compared with 32,393; and in Vermont, 5 as compared with 17,738.

RICHARDS.

CHANGE IN COLLEGE HONOR SYSTEM

NORTHAMPTON, May 21—A proposed change in the Smith college honor system, by which one student would not be required to report another for smoking or breaking other college rules, was announced this morning by President William Allan Neilson. Under the new rule, which will be voted on by the student body, a girl would promise to report herself for any infraction of the rules, and to remind another student if she fails to obey the regulations, in case the latter does not comply with the suggestion to report herself, it is left to the judgment of the individual to report the offender or not.

HEARINGS ON COMMUTATION FARES

WASHINGTON, May 21—Hearings on commutation fares between points on the N.Y., N.H. & H. R.R., will be held in New York June 18, jointly before the New York Public Service commission and the Interstate Commerce commission. The hearings formerly had been set for June 2.

URGE WOMEN DO DUTY AS CITIZENS

BOSTON, May 21.—Resolutions urging women to "fulfill their duty as enfranchised citizens" and urging members of the organization to join in "effective labor for peace" were adopted by the Alliance of Unitarian and other Liberal Christian Women today.

GAS ASSOCIATION

CLEVELAND, May 21.—Discussion of rate-making occupied the forenoon session of the convention of the Natural Gas Association of America today.

Urging adoption of a service charge for gas consumers, H. G. Wells, member of the Massachusetts public service commission, declared that substantially 19 states now recognize its principles.

Speakers this afternoon included Irving Fisher, professor of political economy at Yale.

NO CROP OF PEACHES

GREENFIELD May 21.—Local peach growers stated today that there will be no crop of that fruit hereabouts this year. The mild weather during the winter and early spring caused the buds to swell, they say, and the cold weather followed, freezing them. There are numerous peach orchards throughout Franklin county. Plum and apple buds were not affected by the cold spring.

OFFICE OF THE PURCHASING AGENT

Sealed proposals will be received at the Office of the Purchasing Agent until 11 a. m., Saturday, May 24, 1924, on the following material:

Req. 15,227. Street—Ash.

1 carload of white clipped oats—28 to 40 lbs. to a bushel and free from dust and barley.

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EDWARD J. DONNELLY,
Purchasing Agent.

Lowell, Mass., May 21, 1924.

MANVILLE EXPLOSION

Coroner Devlin Reports No One Criminally Responsible for Deaths of 15

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 21.—In a report filed in the superior court today Coroner Hugh M. Devlin finds that the explosion at Manville, on the morning of Jan. 28 last in which 15 persons lost their lives, was caused by illuminating gas which had seeped into the house through the ground from a broken drip pot in the gas main in front of the house. No one is criminally responsible for the deaths of these 15 persons, or for this calamity, the report asserts, but the coroner takes the Pawtucket Gas Co., severely to task for removing pipes and other apparatus from the scene of the explosion before they could be examined, calling the company's action improper. After reviewing the circumstances of the explosion and the views expressed by experts, Coroner Devlin rejects the dynamite detonation theory and concludes by saying: "From the facts disclosed the coroner cannot find that any individual or any corporation involved has been guilty of such gross negligence as to render it criminally liable."

STATE CONVENTION OF INDIANA REPUBLICANS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 21. Indiana republicans went into state convention here today to ratify formally, the action of the republican voters of the state at the primary in selecting Calvin Coolidge as their preference for the presidential nomination and the nomination of Ed. Jackson for governor, to select seven delegates-at-large to the national convention in Cleveland, adopt a platform and name a complete state ticket. The meeting will last two days.

The day's program was one of speechmaking, beginning with a keynote address by Senator Watson.

The real work of the 1350 delegates will start tonight with district organization meetings.

CATHOLIC DIGNITARIES JOIN IN CELEBRATION

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 21.—Dignitaries of the Catholic church were at the Trappist Monastery at Gethsemane in Nelson county today principally to celebrate the diamond jubilee anniversary of the founding of the Abbey of Our Lady of Gethsemane. They included Cardinal Daugherty who with Bishop Joseph Chartrand of Indianapolis, were given outstanding parts in the celebration; Abbots from the Trappist order in Mallerery, France, where headquarters of the order are located; Archbishop Shaw of New Orleans; Bishop Morris of Arkansas, and Bishop Gerke of Arizona.

OIL MEN BEFORE SENATE GRAND JURY

WASHINGTON, May 21—John D. Clark, of the Standard Oil Co., of Indiana, and Frank E. Kistler, of the Pioneer Oil Co., were among the witnesses today before the special oil grand jury in the District of Columbia supreme court. Others called were Gerald D. Hughes, a Denver lawyer, and B. B. Brooks and R. E. Wertz of Casper, Wyo.

The pioneer Oil Co. was one of the concerns asserting claims in Tea Pot Dome, whose interest was purchased by Harry F. Sinclair after he leased the reserve.

TO CLEAN UP FAKE BASEBALL POOLS

SPRINGFIELD, May 21 A move to clean up the activities of alleged fake baseball pools operating from Troy and Albany, N.Y., and having this city and Hartford, Conn., as distributing centres, was made today by department of justice agents when a consignment of pool tickets consigned to a Springfield man who denied knowledge of them, was seized in a local express office. The tickets will be sent to Albany and may be used in a Rensselaer county grand jury investigation of fake pools.

The tickets seized here bore the mark of the Universal Baseball Pool of Troy and the sender named on the package was A. Miller of Troy. The name of the man to whom they were consigned here is withheld.

WILL BROADCAST CONVENTION NEWS

A feature of tonight's radio programs is the scheduled broadcast from Station WDBH, the Hotel Bancroft, Worcester, of the proceedings of the annual convention of the Massachusetts chamber of commerce. Two items of local interest on this program are an address by Governor Channing H. Cox and an open discussion led by William N. Goodell of the local chamber, on the question, "Shall the state chamber reaffirm its support of daylight saving and instruct the board of directors to endeavor to bring about a decisive vote at the polls in November in favor of the retention of the present law."

MISS RICHARDS LEAVES SYRACUSE

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 21—Miss Jeanne Richards, dean of women, retires from Syracuse with the ending of this college year, after 29 years of service and will take the direction of the college graduate division of the Katherine Gibbs Secretarial and Executive school at Boston.

TWO HELD FOR LARCENY OF $5000

BOSTON, May 21—Joseph C. Dignan and James F. Brennan, both of San Francisco, wanted for the larceny of $5000 by means of forgery from the Western Electric Co., of that city, were captured here today. Both have confessed, according to the police, and will not oppose extradition.

COTTON SUPREMACY

U. S. Not Alive to Efforts Made by Britain, Says Exchange Head

NEW YORK, May 21.—Edward E. Bartlett, Jr., president of the New York cotton exchange, said on his return from Europe today, that the United States was not fully alive to the efforts being made by Great Britain to gain the cotton supremacy of the world.

Emphasizing the seriousness of the boll weavil in this country, Mr. Bartlett advocated immediate attention by private interests, and the government to insure heavy production. Should prices continue high, Britain would do her own producing, he asserted, and America would lose a valuable cotton customer.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM WALL STREET

NEW YORK, May 21.—With the average of 20 leading industrial stocks in new low ground for the year, and the average of 20 leading rails, within ¾ of a point of the year's minimum, opposing speculative forces in the stock market were prepared for another battle in today's session. Operators working on the short side undoubtedly will take advantage of every chance to uncover stop loss orders, as they did yesterday and attempt to close out weakened marginal accounts, while speculators for the advance hoped to stage a rally which will set in motion a covering movement on the part of short interests.

Earnings of the Southern Railway System from the first of the year to the second week in May showed a decline of $3,966,623 to $65,717,556, compared with the same period of 1923. The drop for the second week in May alone was nearly $45,000. Mobile and Ohio's income also fell $313,145 since Jan. 1.

A quarterly dividend of 50 cents has been declared by the National Transit Co., payable June 14 to stock of record May 31. A dividend of 25 cents was paid March 15 and 50 cents on Dec. 15.

A deficit of $240,002, for the quarter ended March 31, is reported by the New York, Ontario & Western Railroad against a deficit of $366,852 a year ago.

A drop of $773,652 in earnings of the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad is reported for the period from Jan. 1 to the second week in May.

New bond offerings today include $4,000,000, 15-year, 7 per cent. convertible sinking fund bonds of the Federal Metals Corporation at par, and $1,000,000 of United Light & Power Co., 6½ per cent. debenture, series of 1924, due 1974, at 95 and accrued interest to yield about 6.99 per cent.

Active trading yesterday in common stock of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway of which 26,900 shares changed hands, at the highest level in two years, revived reports in the financial district that the Van Werengin interests were increasing their holdings of the road's stock, which they already control, substantially.

Seventy-three boxes of gold valued at 531,989 pounds arrived on the Olympic today consigned to J. P. Morgan & Co., and 13 boxes valued at 100,800 pounds to Kuhn, Loeb & Co.

Members of the New York cotton exchange will vote next Friday on the question of closing the exchange on May 31, following Memorial day.

The New York stock exchange has ruled that American Telephone & Telegraph common shares must be quoted ex-rights on June 10 and transactions in rights settled on June 26.

RACES AT GOLDEN COVE ON MEMORIAL DAY

Last night's meeting of the Lowell Driving club was given up largely to a discussion of ways and means to put the track at Golden Cove in the best possible condition for the Memorial day races. Already a great deal has been done on the track and in order to make every part of it fast and springy, more cinders were ordered for it and a truck and several men engaged to get it in shape for the two steam rollers that are to be used in the last two days of the week. By Monday the track should be in the best condition it ever has been, and the local horse owners are looking forward to some fast brushes in the near future.

For the races several out-of-town horses are already entered and when the entries close Monday night it is expected that the card will have filled well enough to give the horse racing fans of this section expectations of real classy racing on the 30th.

MISS HOLLINS WINS WAY TO SEMI-FINALS

GARDEN CITY, N. Y., May 21—Miss Marion Hollins of Westbrook, former national champion, won her way into the semi-final round in the women's Metropolitan Golf Association tournament at the Cherry Valley Country club today by winning from Miss Maureen Orcutt of Haworth, N. J., 8 and 7.

The other semi-finalist in the upper half of the bracket will be Miss Marie Jenney of North Hempstead, L. I. who defeated Miss Rosalie Knapp of Westbrook, 2 and 1.

Miss Wethered reached the final round this afternoon by defeating Miss E. E. Helme of Leatherhead, 1 up and 3 to play. She will meet Mrs. E. Cantley of Thanet in the finals tomorrow.

JURY IMPANELLED FOR CORCORAN TRIAL

CAMBRIDGE, May 21. A jury was impanelled in the Middlesex county superior court today for the trial of William J. Corcoran, former district attorney of Middlesex county, and Daniel H. Coakley, disbarred Boston lawyer, on indictments for conspiracy to extort money from various persons by means of threats between 1914 and the present time.

Coakley announced that he would act as his own counsel.

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, May 21.—Stock prices developed an irregular tone at the opening of today's market, reflecting the play of opposing speculative forces for control. Some of the oil shares, including the standard issues, moved higher along with several copper stocks. Bethlehem led an advance in independent steel shares. Baldwin and Studebaker yielded slightly to selling pressure.

Buying of the coal carriers, including Delaware & Hudson, Chesapeake & Ohio, Norfolk & Western and Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron stimulated an advance in the general market, which was accentuated by short covering in a number of industrials and specialties. Chesapeake & Ohio reached 79¾, the highest level in 10 years. Delaware & Hudson rose three points and gains of 1 to 2 points were registered by DuPont, Republic Steel, Davison Chemical, U. S. Industrial Alcohol, New York Dock, Philadelphia & Reading, Coal and Iron, Colorado Fuel, U. S. Cast Iron Pipe, Gulf States Steel and Baldwin. Foreign exchanges opened steady.

Steady accumulation of high grade railroad shares had a tonic effect on the rest of the list and prices slowly forged ahead despite the light volume of trading. Delaware & Hudson mounted 4½ points, to a new high level for the year, the rise being accompanied by official denial that segregation of the road's coal properties was contemplated. The brisk advance in Chesapeake & Ohio was attributed to reports that consolidation with "Nickel Plate" on a share for share basis, was imminent. Such a merger would be tantamount to increasing Chesapeake & Ohio's dividend from a 4 to 6 per cent. annual basis. Announcement of an increase in automobile prices in the General Motors group imparted a firmer tone to motor shares and several independent steel, oil, chemical and equipment issues scored moderate gains. Call money opened at 3 per cent.

Weakness of National Enamelling, U. S. Rubber common and first preferred and Goodrich preferred, which dropped 1 to 3 points, was ignored by the remainder of the list in the afternoon, U. S. Steel Baldwin, American Can, U. S. Cast Iron Pipe and American Telephone sold well above their best prices of the forenoon.

The closing was strong; both Chesapeake & Ohio and "Nickel Plate" crossed 80 to new high levels for the year in the final hour and oils, coppers and public utilities also moved up on short covering.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, May 21.—Cotton futures opened firm. May 31.70; July 29.15; Oct. 25.65; Dec. 24.88; Jan. 24.60.

Money Market

NEW YORK, May 21.—Foreign exchanges, irregular. Great Britain demand 4.35¾; cables 4.36; 60-day bills on banks 4.33½; France demand 5.52½; cables 5.53; Italy demand 4.45½; cables 4.41; Belgium, demand 4.65; cables 4.66; Germany demand (per trillion) .23⅝; Holland demand 37.36; Norway demand 13.91; Sweden demand 26.52½; Denmark, demand 16.30; Switzerland demand 17.71; Spain demand 13.83; Greece demand 1.98; Poland .000012; Czechoslovakia demand 2.95⅝; Jugoslavia demand 1.23½; Austria demand .0014; Rumania demand .49; Argentina demand 32.8; Brazil demand 10.90; Tokio demand 40¾; Montreal 98¼.

Call money steady; high, 3; low, 3; ruling rate, 3; closing bid, 3; offered, 3¼; last loan, 3; call loans against acceptances, 2¾; time loans, steady; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 4, 4 to 6 months, 4 at 4¼; prime commercial paper, 4½ at 4¾.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	43½	43⅛	43½
Am Beet Sug	39	38⅝	39
Am Can	101¾	100⅝	101½
Am H & L pf	53	53	53
Am Loco	79½	79½	79½
Am Smelt	61½	61	61¾
do pf	100	100	100
Am Sug	42⅞	42⅛	42⅝
Am T & T	124¼	123⅞	124¼
Am Wool	64½	63⅜	64¼
do pf	97½	97½	97½
Anaconda	29¾	28⅞	29¾
Atch	103⅝	102¾	103¼
do pf	89¾	89¼	89¼
At Gulf	16	15¾	15¾
Baldwin	107	105⅛	106¾
B & O	53⅞	53⅝	53⅜
Beth Steel	47⅞	47	47½
B R T	15½	15½	15½
Cal Pete	23	22¾	23
Can Pac	149⅜	148¾	149¼
Cen Lea	11⅛	10⅞	11
do pf	40½	39½	40½
Ches & O	80⅛	78½	79⅞
C & Gt W	4¼	4⅛	4⅛
C R I & P	25¾	24¾	25¼
Chile	27¾	27⅜	27⅝
Col G & E	36⅞	36	36⅞
Col Fuel	41⅜	39¾	40¾
Con Gas	63⅞	62⅞	63¾
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Corn Prod	35¾	34½	35⅜
Cru Steel	50⅜	49¼	50⅜
Cuba Cane	114	110	113
Elk Horn	12	12	12
Erie	24¾	24½	24⅝
do pf	32¾	31	32⅝
Gen Elec	219	211¾	219
Gen Motors	13	12⅞	12⅞
Granby	13¾	13¾	13¾
Gt No pf	57¾	57⅜	57⅜
Ill Cen	102½	102½	102½
Int Mer Mar	8¼	8¼	8¼
do pf	34½	32⅞	34
Int Paper pf	67½	67½	67½
Kennecott	38¾	37⅞	38½
K City S	19¼	18¾	19¼
Lehigh Val	40⅞	40⅜	40⅞
L and Nash	93	92	93
Maxwell	40½	40½	40½
Mother Lode	7¼	6⅞	7¼
Mo Pac	12¾	12½	12¾
Nat Lead	130¼	130	130
Nevada	12	12	12
N Y Air B	38	37½	38
N Y Cent	101¾	100½	101¾
N Y and N H	19	18⅞	18⅞
Nor and West	119¼	118	119½
No Pac	53	52	52¼
Pan Amam	49	45½	49
Penn	43½	42½	43
Peo Gas	94	93	93
Pere Marquette	48¾	45½	48½
Pitts Coal	60	60	60
P W V	42¼	41¼	42
Pres Steel	48	48	48
Pullman	119	117½	118¾
Pure Oil	22⅞	22	22⅛
Ray Con	9¾	9¼	9¼
Reading	52⅞	52¼	52¼
Rep I & S	45	44	44½
do pf	86	85	85
St Paul	11⅜	11¼	11⅜
Sinclair Oil	19½	18¾	19½
So Pac	34½	33⅞	34½
do pf	71½	71½	71½
Stewart	52¼	50⅝	51
Stude	31¼	30¾	31¼
Tenn Cop	7	7	7
Tex Pac	29¾	28	28¾
U Pac	133¼	132¼	132¾
U S I Al	63⅞	62¾	63¼
U S Rub	26¼	25¾	25⅞
do pf	72½	68¼	68¼
U S Steel	97⅛	95⅝	96⅝
do pf	119½	119¼	119¼
Utah Cop	67¼	67	67½
Wab	15⅜	15	15⅜
do A	45⅛	44½	45
Willys	7¼	7	7¼
Wes Un	107⅝	107	107¾

BOSTON, May 21.—The local market today opened with a downward trend, Ventura and United Shoe Machinery were off ⅛ and Island Creek ¾.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Am Wool pfd	97½	97	97
Bos El	75¼	75¼	75¼
Bos & Alb	151	151	151
Cal & Hec	14⅛	13⅞	14¼
Cop Range	20	20	20
Dubilier C & R	32	31¾	32
Eastern S S	18	18	18
Elder Corp	3	3	3
East MFG	6	6	6
Edison Elec	169½	169½	169½
Franklin	50	50	50
Isl Cr Coal	100	99	100
Isle Roy	13½	13½	13½
Mass Gas	74½	74½	74½
Mohawk	27	26¾	26¾
N E Tel	106	106	106
No Butte	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Quincy	15	15	15
St Mary	28	28	28
Swift & Co	101	100½	100¾
U Sh M	36	35¾	36
do pfd	25½	25	25
U Sh Steel	20	20	20
Ventura	22½	22½	22½
Wickwire Spencer	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝

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'22 STUDEBAKER, 5 passenger.......$800
'24 ANDERSON, 7 passenger........$1150
'21 CHEVROLET, 5 passenger.........$200
'20 CHEVROLET, 5 passenger.........$100

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MEETING OF UNITARIAN ALLIANCE

BOSTON, May 21—The meeting of the alliance of Unitarian and other liberal Christian woman was the chief event today in the Unitarian anniversary week. The president, Mrs. Oscar C. Gallagher, told the delegates that Unitarian women were trying to combat "the all too prevalent idea that they are the money raisers of the church."

"Important and universal as is the activity of the alliance in such work," she said, "it is but incidental to its fundamental purposes. We aim to quicken spiritual growth and revitalize the life and work of our churches, principally through the church school and in promotion religion in the home. Our social service committee has sought to help us to find practical ways of applying our religion to the social problems around us."

Mrs. Caroline S. Atherton, secretary of the alliance, told of the development of its work abroad. She mentioned the formation of a branch in Prague.

HOW TO COMPUTE VALUE OF POLICY

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Veterans Bureau actuaries informed members of congress today for the first time that the list of "factors" prepared by them and recently made public for computing the amounts of insurance due under the bonus law took into account the extra 25 per cent of adjusted service compensation allowed by the bill on insurance certificates. This means that a veteran in computing the value of the insurance policy he will receive simply will multiply his credits at $1.25 a day for foreign service and $1.00 a day for home service by his factor. The extra 25 cents is not to be added as heretofore announced.

MOTION TO REPORT FORD BILL LOST

WASHINGTON, May 21.—A motion to report the Ford bill providing for leasing of Muscle Shoals was lost by a vote of 10 to 6 today, in the senate agricultural committee.

After the vote indications were that the committee might report the Norris government ownership bill. In this event, if the Ford bid is brought up in the senate it would be in the form of a substitute for the Norris bill.

GUILTY OF ASSAULT

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 21. After less than two hours' deliberation a jury in the Washington county superior court at Westerly this afternoon found Thomas W. Fisher of this city guilty of assault with a dangerous weapon upon Dr. Alexander F. McDonald of Wickford.

SCRAMBLE FOR COTTON SHORTS

NEW YORK, May 21.—A scramble of May cotton shorts to cover sent that delivery up 72 points today and it reached 32.17. Later positions, influenced by Bullish crop and weather news, advanced 48 to 55 points, October selling at 25.90.

COURT ORDERS MARCINO PLACED ON TRIAL

WORCESTER, May 21.—Judge Frederick T. Brondhurst, in superior court today overruled all the motions that were filed by counsel for Joseph B. Marcino, who is serving a term in the Atlanta federal penitentiary for wrecking the Warren National bank, seeking to avoid trial of Marcino on Worcester county indictments for the bank case. The court ordered Marcino to be placed on trial with Frank L. Taylor and Abraham Goldman who were indicted with him by the Worcester county grand jury. Counsel for Marcino and Goldman waived the reading of the indictments and they stood mute while Judge Broadhurst ordered pleas of not guilty to be entered for them. Taylor pleaded guilty to charges of conspiracy and being accessory before the fact. The jury to try the case was impanelled in ten minutes. Marcino challenging only two veniremen and Goldman only one.

LIQUOR CASES BEFORE U. S. COMMISSIONER

James Papacostos of 236 Salem street, appeared before U. S. Commissioner Walsh here today on the charge of illegal sale and possession of liquor, waived examination and was held in $500 for the federal court.

William H. Gemmell of Lawrence, charged with sale and possession, also waived examination and was held in the same amount.

Fred Leonard and John Brennan, both of this city, were continued to June 6 and the case of George Blake, whose place of business is at Moody and Tremont streets, was continued until June 20.

The cases of Arthur J. Lacourse of Lawrence and Lester F. Abbott of Balardvale were continued until June 6.

WILL BE AWARDED HIGHEST HONOR

Miss Marjorie Scoboria, second lieutenant of Girl Scout troop 1 of Chelmsford, will be awarded the highest honor of the order, the golden eaglet, at the May Day celebration of the Girl Scouts at Cedar Hill, next Saturday.

The presentation of the eaglet to Miss Scoboria Saturday will mark the second time that the highest honor of girl scouting has been awarded to Greater Lowell girls. Miss Thelma Shattuck, also of Chelmsford, having been similarly rewarded for her activities in the order.

FUNERAL OF GOV. SMITH'S MOTHER

NEW YORK, May 21—The modest Roman Catholic Church of the Assumption in Brooklyn was crowded to capacity today at funeral services for Mrs. Catherine Smith, aged mother of Gov. Alfred E. Smith. A crowd of 2000 persons, unable to gain admittance, stood outside with bowed heads in a drizzling rain.

The high mass of requiem was celebrated by the pastor of the church, the Rev. William B. Farrell. Eight of Mrs. Smith's 10 grandsons were pallbearers.

MRS. WOOLWORTH DEAD

NEW YORK, May 21.—Mrs. Jessie Creighton Woolworth, widow of F. W. Woolworth, died at her home in Glen Cove, L. I., early today. She was 69 years old.

Drunkards are cured in a Norway "Home for Inebriates" by a wine diet. They are given nothing to drink but wine and their food is soaked in wine. It is said that they become so tired of wine in a week that they "swear off."

NO DECISION ON WORLD COURT PROPOSALS

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The senate foreign relations committee devoted two hours today to a general discussion of world court proposals, but adjourned until tomorrow without having reached a decision on any important point.

An effort to obtain the committee's immediate endorsement for the proposal of Presidents Harding and Coolidge for membership in the present court, with reservations, resulted in failure.

None of those present would venture more than "a hope" of early action on any of the plans now pending.

MARTIN'S MOTHER

Like the old Spartan mothers, Mrs. Nancy J. Martin, mother of Major Frederick L. Martin, wants her son to carry on. She is glad he will be permitted to rejoin the American round-the-world flight eventually. Mrs. Martin, now a resident of Mobridge, S. D., was visiting her old home in Connorsville, Ind., when news of her son's safety reached her.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

A very pretty miscellaneous shower was held Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Corkery, 89 Blossom street in honor of their daughter, Miss Mary who is to become the bride of Mr. George Welch of North Chelmsford. The house was prettily arranged in pink and white decorations. Miss Corkery was showered with numerous gifts, tokens of esteem from her many friends who had gathered to honor her. A musical program was carried out and refreshments were served by Mrs. Corkey assisted by Mrs. Charles Vidito and Mrs. Edward Bushnell.

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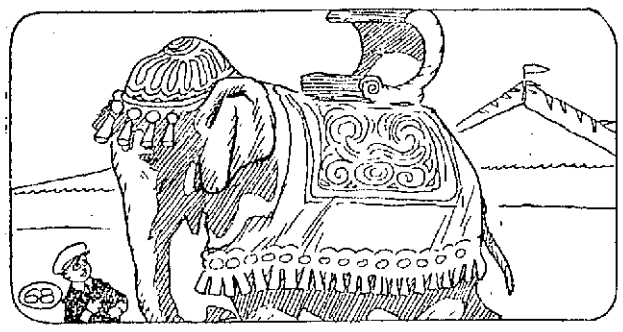
Jack Daw's Adventures. Chapter 23

At first Jack thought it would be great fun to ride on a camel. And then on second thought he told the elephant man that he'd rather ride on Boscoe, the friendly elephant's back. "Oh, we can arrange that easily enough," came the reply. And the cowboy let Jack down on the ground.



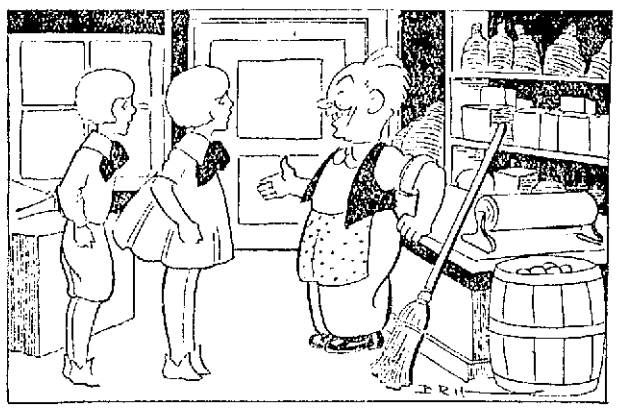
The trainer led the way to where Boscoe was standing. Jack was very much surprised when he saw his clumsy friend The circus folks had dressed him all up and he had gold and silver trimmings all over his back. And right on top was a regular little seat with a cover on it.

"You can ride up in that seat if you want to," said the elephant trainer. "Oh, that will be great," replied Jack. And just then Jack heard a familiar bark. Looking around he saw Flip, seated in a little pony cart right beside the clown who had borrowed the dog. (Continued.)

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

A PICKLE FOR NOTHING



"YOU'RE BOTH HIRED TO DO CHORES AND ERRANDS"

Nancy and Nick thought the little store in the woods very funny, and they thought that Mister Bags, the fairy storekeeper, was still funnier.

They were ever so pleased when he clasped his hands over his fatty tummy and said beamingly, "You're both hired to do chores and errands at ten cents a week."

Just then Samantha Squirrel opened the door which went tingalingaling whenever you pushed it the teeniest bit.

"Do you have any new spring hats?" she asked.

"Yes, indeedie," said Mister Bags. "Which kind would you like best, a yellow one trimmed in pink ribbon, or a blue one trimmed in green flowers? We also have some pink ones trimmed in red, and some red ones trimmed in pale blue pinkish orange."

"Let me see them," said Mrs. Squirrel. "I'll try them all on and see which one suits my complexion best. The red one trimmed in greenish, orangish, yellow sounds the nicest."

"You mean pale blue, pinkish, orange," said Mister Bags. "But that's an idea! I'll have to trim one in greenish orangish yellow. You are very smart, Mrs. Squirrel, to think of such a thing."

"My husband says I should have been a milliner," said Mrs. Squirrel. "I know so much about flowers 'n' things."

"It's millers, you mean," said Nancy. "Millers are the people who know all about flour. They make it."

"Milliners and flowers, my dear," said Mrs. Squirrel firmly. "Please keep your place. I know what I'm talking about."

Well Mrs. Squirrel started to try on. And she tried on and tried on and tried on until Nick began to think she was going to try on the dish pans and butter bowls and market baskets.

"There is nothing here that suits me at all," said Mrs. Squirrel finally, turning up her nose and wiggling her whiskers and whisking her tail. "I could trim hats all around you, Mister Bags. I'd just as leave wear a soup tureen as any of these hats you have here. Give me a pound of butter and two pickles and I'll be going. I'm expecting company to supper."

Poor Mister Bags was handing her her butter and her pickles when she said briskly, "Please charge and send them. I'm not accustomed to carrying packages."

"Very well, madam," said Mr. Bags obligingly, writing in a great big book. "The butter is five cents a pound and the pickles are one cent."

"What!" shrieked Mrs. Squirrel. "Five cents a pound! Why, that's pure robbery. I never heard of anything so expensive. I won't take it at all, or the pickles either. Wait a minute. I'll taste the pickles and see if they are good."

So she ate a whole pickle.

"No, they aren't a bit good," she declared. "I don't want anything today. Good day!"

"My goodness!" said Nancy as Mr. Bags was patiently putting back the butter and all the hats and the other pickle. "Wasn't she unpleasant!"

"She just wanted a little lunch!" said Mr. Bags. "That's the way she gets it."

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SUIT AGAINST FISKE ESTATE TRUSTEES

The case of Julia H. F. Bird of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., against the local firm of Robbins & Ellis, former trustees for the Josiah Fiske estate, and having to do with the sale of the Fiske property in Central street by the trustees, has been assigned a trial date early in September in the equity session of the superior court at East Cambridge, Mrs. Bird brings suit through the office of Atty. William D. Regan.

Scientists say that a fall in the mean annual temperature of Europe of nine degrees Fahrenheit would bring back the glacial period and cover the continent with vast sheets of ice.

Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Robert J. Howarth, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Herbert N. Howarth, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the ninth day of June, A.D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, thirty days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

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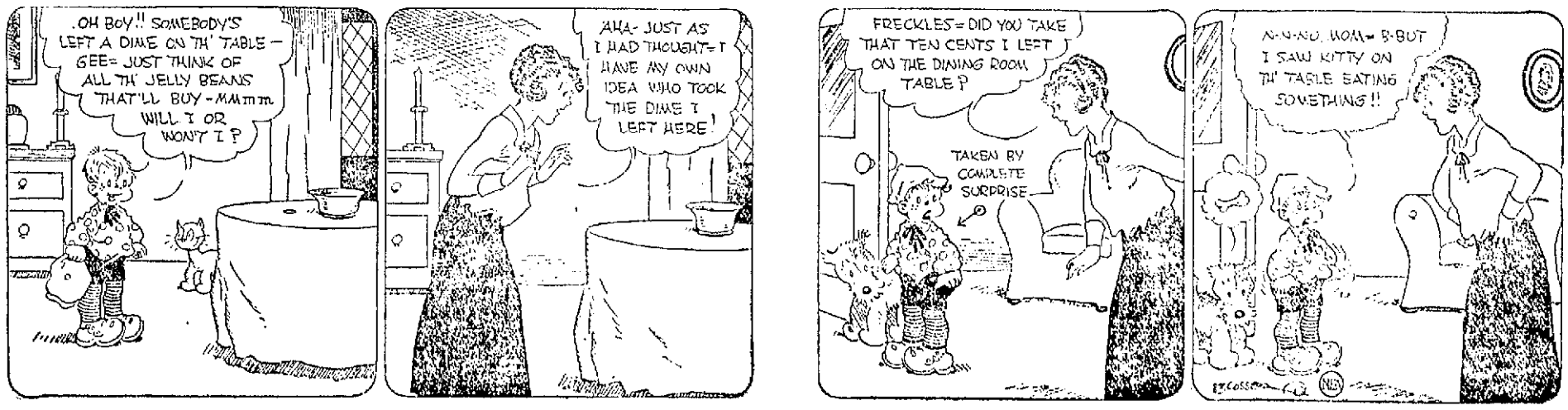

WILL NOT BE CANDIDATE FOR ANY POLITICAL OFFICE

Benjamin Loring Young Will Devote All of His Time Until Next November to Election of President Coolidge—Announcement Big Surprise

(Special to The Sun.)

BOSTON, May 21. The biggest surprise of the present political campaign occurred today, when Benjamin Loring Young, speaker of the state house of representatives, announced that he will not be a candidate for any political office this fall, but will instead devote all of his time until next November to the election of President Calvin Coolidge.

Speaker Young has been looked upon as an avowed candidate for the republican nomination for lieutenant-governor, and for many months republican leaders all over the state have been lining up for him or for Frank G. Allen, president of the state senate.

In recent weeks, and particularly since the refusal of Governor Channing H. Cox to become a candidate for the republican nomination for United States senator, much pressure has been brought to bear upon Young to get him into the field. His friends have believed that his comparative youth, and his great virility as a campaigner, would make him the ideal opponent of Senator David I. Walsh. Friends of Walsh, too, have admitted quietly that the senator looked upon Young as the man whom he would have the most difficulty in defeating.

There is little doubt, too, that friends of President Allen have been prominent in the movement to get Young into the senatorial race, thereby making the lieutenant-governor nomination sure for their own candidate.

His decision, announced today in language of finality, clears the situation in both contests, however. Allen will receive the republican nomination for lieutenant governor, probably without opposition, and practically every republican leader of state-wide prominence will be found supporting Speaker Frederick H. Gillett of the national house for senator.

The statement of Speaker Young is as follows:

"During recent weeks many of my colleagues in the legislature and other friends throughout the state have urged me to become a candidate for office in the coming election. It was my intention to withhold any statement until after the prorogation of the legislature. My duties as speaker of the house demand absolute fairness and impartiality, and I did not wish to prejudice my present office by any personal political activity. A growing demand, however, that my plans be made public requires me to issue a definite statement.

"The one great issue in the coming campaign in Massachusetts and the nation is the election of President Coolidge. To that great purpose every personal ambition and local interest must be subordinated. I have therefore offered by services to William M. Butler, who as chairman of the republican national committee will have charge of the national campaign for the president. He has suggested certain work which he believes I can and should undertake. I have now received from him the following telegram.—

"Washington, D. C.

"Hon. B. Loring Young,
State House, Boston, Massachusetts.

"I hope you have concluded to respond favorably to my suggestion that you help in the national campaign. Your assistance will be greatly appreciated.
(Signed) WILLIAM M. BUTLER."

"I have today replied as follows:

"Hon. William M. Butler,
Washington, D. C.

"Will report for duty as soon as legislature has adjourned and certain personal affairs arranged. My services then absolutely at your disposal until after election of President Coolidge next November.
(Signed) B. L. YOUNG."

"I understand that the work I am to do will require my presence in various parts of the country. Under these conditions, therefore, I am not a candidate for any public office, and I trust that my many friends who have urged me to enter the republican primary will devote the same energetic support which they offered to me, to the cause of the president.

"I have served in the house of representatives for nine years and for the last four years have been speaker of the house. I have found interest and enjoyment in my public work, and have, I hope, been able to contribute something to the welfare of Massachusetts. I felt some doubt whether my duty to my constituents and friends throughout the state required me to continue in public office or whether I might not, at least for a time, resume private practice in my profession of the law. I have been freed from any immediate necessity of deciding that question. The manifest duty of every republican is to govern his own conduct in that way which will best promote the success of the president and his policies. For every reason, therefore, I welcome the opportunity to devote the coming summer and fall to the work of the national campaign." HOYT.

ATTACKS FILENE PLAN

German Paper Says Peace Will Come When France Comes to Her Senses

HAMBURG, May 21.—The leading nationalist organ here, the Hamburger Nachrichten, has attacked the prize competition under the offer of Edward A. Filene, of Boston, for a thesis on the question how best to obtain peace and conserve prosperity among the European nations. This newspaper declined to publish the details of the contest on the ground that it would mean aiding a movement practically aiming at a new confession of guilt by Germany.

"It is useless to rack one's brains over the question of peace," says the Nachrichten, "when the answer can be given in less than a score of words: Peace will come when France comes to her senses and the lying Versailles document is sacrificed to truth."

RINGLING BROTHERS CIRCUS NOT COMING

John J. Flaherty, clerk of the local license commission this morning received a telegram from W. J. Conway of the Ringling Brothers circus, stating that the big show has been forced to cancel its application for a license to appear here this year. The circus people had previously made application to show in Lowell on June 4.

The Sells-Floto circus will appear in Lowell on June 18, while the Sparks circus is scheduled to come here sometime in June also.

Conference On Mental Hygiene

Continued

Massachusetts Society for Mental Hygiene.

The conference was in the nature of a forerunner to mental health clinics to be established in this city under the direction of the state department of mental hygiene, the first of which will be held at the Lowell Corporation hospital next Monday at 2 p. m. This clinic will be free to adolescents and adults and will continue weekly as long as it is deemed advisable. Habit clinics for children of pre-school age will be held later on.

Last evening's meeting was presided over by Arthur C. Spalding, chairman of a temporary local publicity committee, who with Miss Alice M. Bell of the Lowell Social Service league, had in hand the plans for the meeting.

All of the speakers stressed the fact that the clinics to be held and the treatments to be given are corrective and strictly along the line of prevention in the habit-forming period of age.

Dr. Walter E. Fernald spoke particularly of the possibilities of training the feeble-minded to certain forms of work and pointed out that vocational lines offer an excellent field of training. He colored his remarks with pertinent illustrations of what has been done in this line at the Waverly school.

Dr. William A. Bryan spoke of the danger signals along the way and said that parents and teachers can study a child by knowing his habits and can direct him to use the limit of his intelligence.

Dr. George K. Pratt, representing the Massachusetts Society for Mental Hygiene, explained its aims and purposes and told of the work already accomplished. He stressed the need of support from this community through the establishment of a branch of the society and thereby give moral support to the state clinics. He said the Massachusetts society was incorporated in 1914 and has come to be a powerful health organization working in co-operation with the state health authorities.

"The society is attacking one of the greatest problems of our civilization," he declared. "But needs resources to allow it to continue its work successfully."

Hon. Herbert C. Parsons, the fourth speaker, touched briefly and lightly upon the problems growing out of the presence of wayward children.

At the close of the meeting nearly 50 men and women signed cards expressing interest in the establishment of mental hygiene society branch in Lowell.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BANDIT KILLED IN GUN FIGHT

One of Two Highwaymen Who Held Up Brooklyn Man, Was Shot to Death

Patrolman Rushed to Scene by Passing Motorist Shot Down Fleeing Gunman

NEW YORK, May 21. One of two highwaymen who held up Walter Hankowitz, Brooklyn business man, in the Elmhurst section early today, was shot to death in a running pistol fight with a patrolman who was rushed to the scene by a passing motorist who saw the crime.

The highwaymen did not know they were under observation until the patrolman had stolen upon them, knocked the gun from the hands of one and collared him. The other took to his heels, and the officers opened fire, which was returned by the fugitive without effect. He disappeared and his partner, who said he was Herman Manster, 28, a clerk, was taken to jail. Half an hour later, a pedestrian found the body of the fugitive several blocks from the scene of the crime. He had been shot through the back. He has not been identified.

IS REPRESENTING LOWELL JEWELERS

Frank Ricard the Central street jeweler, is representing the Lowell jewelers at the New Hampshire Retail Jewelers' association convention which opened in Concord, N. H. today. Mr. Ricard accepted a special invitation issued by Arthur DeMontigny, president of the association, and left Lowell on the 9.40 train this morning. He will remain over until the close of the session tomorrow.

Today's activities opened at 2 o'clock with an address of welcome by Hon. Willis H. Flint, mayor of Concord. An executive session followed.

Tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock, a banquet will be held in the Eagle hotel, at which the toastmaster will be Hon. Perry D. Thompson of this city.

METROPOLITAN HANDICAP

NEW YORK, May 21.—The 20 day meeting of the Metropolitan Jockey club at the Jamaica track will close today after which the thoroughbreds will move to Belmont Park.

The opening at Belmont tomorrow will be featured by the running of the Metropolitan handicap and the first of the special international steeplechase subscription races.

There are more than 2,000,000 acres of peanuts under cultivation in this country.

TO CLOSE OFFICE HERE

Local Office of Organized Reserve to Be Discontinued Next Month

The local office of the Organized Reserve, which has been located in the Hildreth building for the past two years, will be discontinued June 30 of this year, according to unofficial communications received at the office from Boston headquarters of the First Corps area recently.

Major Francis J. Toohey, C.A.C., executive officer of this district, and his

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two assistants, Privates Roland E. Falls and Louis Bahl, it is understood, will be assigned for duty either at corps headquarters in the army base, Boston, or at one of the forts in Boston harbor.

Major Toohey has been in charge of the local office since its opening here and has been very successful in signing up officers and enlisted men for the Reserve service, which is termed the third unit of the national defense. When first detailed to this district, he was authorized to enlist only for units of the Eleventh Corps and was instructed to form a motorized service battery unit and a supply battery unit.

As these units were brought up to regular strength, he was instructed to sign up men for the quartermaster, dental, medical and infantry branches, to organize a local engineer regiment and also to extend his field of operations to take in the greater part of Middlesex county and Lawrence, Haverhill and their surrounding towns in Essex county.

Very little difficulty was experienced in recruiting men throughout this district and as a result of the local office's success, Major Toohey was named as executive officer of the reserve coast defense of Boston with power to enlist and commission men for the reserve coast artillery corps. Like success was met with in the coast artillery units as with the units of the Eleventh Corps and the local office soon earned the name of being the most successful sub-recruiting station of the reserve in the country.

What the reason for closing this office is has not been made public but it is believed that another office will be opened here in the fall. It is doubtful, however, if Major Toohey or his assistants will return to take up duties at the new office.

ROBBER BAND OF 100 AT WORK

Passed Over Soviet Border and Pillaged Village of Kryzywicze, Says Warsaw

Killed or Wounded Some 20 Inhabitants, Among Them the Church Pastor

WARSAW, May 21.—All Poland is aroused in consequence of dispatches from the eastern regions stating that a robber band numbering 100 well armed men two days ago passed over the Soviet frontier and pillaged the village of Kryzwicze, 1½ miles from the border, killing or wounding some 20 of the inhabitants, among them the church pastor.

The robbers cut the telephone and telegraph and escaped back into Russia.

CONGRESS TERMED A "LEGISLATIVE FACTORY"

NEW YORK, May 21.—Congress is on the right road in seeking to restrict immigration to residents of northern and western Europe, Harry R. Landis, assistant commissioner of immigration at New York said in an address prepared for delivery before the annual convention of the National Association of Manufacturers today. Mr. Landis said the country was not getting a high type of immigrant under the present law, and that all that it accomplished was to permit the entrance of the "least worst."

James A. Emery, general counsel for the association, however, in another prepared address, termed congress a "legislative factory" criticizing it for permitting the increase in number of government employes.

Mr. Landis said that immigrant laborers and servants have turned merchants; hot dog merchants, vegetable merchants, shoe string merchants and penny whistle merchants.

"To the credit of congress, be it said, that the much criticized quota law is tending to bring us more of the stalwart Scandinavians and other so-called Nordics and fewer of the buttonhole makers."

Mr. Landis urged action in the matter of establishing a regular check-up system on aliens after they had been admitted.

Mr. Emery laid the blame for inefficient government at the door of the average citizen, who by his indifference became "unconsciously the ally of every treasury raider."

The outstanding action at yesterday's session was the presentation of a platform of American industry by a committee of more than 100 American industrialists. The platform pleaded for the creation of a world court free of entanglements of the League of Nations.

LOWELL BOYS WILL GO TO MILITARY TRAINING CAMP AT DEVENS

Fourteen Recruits Sign Up From This City and Are Very Enthusiastic Over Prospects of Going to Camp—All Are Physically Fit

Fourteen youthful Lowell "raw recruits" of budding patriotic ambition, have temporarily "joined the colors," eager to engage in military maneuvers at the summer citizens' training camp at Devens.

Headquarters of First Corps area, U.S.A., army base in Boston, reports today that numerous Lowell young men are now registered on the list of recruits, who desire to participate in the active programs arranged for the summer citizens' military training maneuvers at Camp Devens this summer.

Contrary to reports from unofficial sources published last week, to the effect that Lowell citizenry was showing little enthusiasm for summer military training at Ayer this year, a goodly number of Lowell young men of excellent character, physique and good intentions have applied for membership in the Lowell assignment list have been examined and found not wanting and are now listed on the official military rolls at First Corps headquarters in Boston.

The Sun received today the official tidings, which bear these names of would-be soldiers, all Lowell natives and proud of the fact that they are going "over there" for a few weeks to Camp Devens with the rest of the 3000 healthy recruits from all over New England, eager to train in the preparedness maneuvers that mean so much to Uncle Samuel in his present uncertainty and isolation from wide world troubles.

Here is the list of 1924 Lowell recruits thus far accepted:

Loren Danforth Harrows, 3 West View street.

James Macdonald Burns, 543 Rogers street.

Carleton W. Carpenter, 175 Princeton street.

Frederick E. Dugdale, 12 Victoria street.

Barrett Fisher, 92 Holyrood avenue.

Richard Frank Gray, 251 Foster street.

Ernest J. Larochelle, 467 Merrimack street.

Thurlow MacIlrayne, 6 Belmont street.

Gerard A. Paquin, 37 Arlington street.

Whitman Pearson, 69 Clitheroe street.

William H. Robertson, 470 Andover street.

Arnold J. Ryan, Jr., 90 D street.

Ernest Leavitt Spencer, 196 Shaw street.

Richard G. Welch, 76 Livingston avenue.

TEMPTING MENU AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

The excellent daily menus of nourishing and appetizing foods prepared and served to faculty and pupils at Lowell high school, are attracting more favorable attention and comment than ever.

Butterfly salad occupied the place of honor today on one of the most enticing recess and noon menu offerings ever enjoyed by Lowell high school boys and girls in the basement dining hall.

Delicious was no name for today's "Maybasket" of food of choicest quality and variety—amply provided for all comers in the most tempting fashion and thoroughly enjoyed by pupils and faculty, as all excellent menus always are in this ideal dining hall where the fraternity of the student world gather in mid-day guest for sustaining bodily nourishment.

Today's bill of fare, contained on blackboards with sliding card announcements in every section on every floor of the high school building, started with the recess luncheon. Note the variety of healthy, nourishing foods and the prices:

Recess luncheon: Vegetable soup, 5 cents. Beef steak pie, 10 cents. Butterfly salad, 10 cents. Fruit tapioca, 5 cents.

Noon menus: Fricassee of lamb, 18 cents. Sliced tomato, 5 cents. Apple pie, 5 cents.

And tomorrow the menu will be just as good or better, if possible. And the next day after tomorrow it will be better still, if possible, and so it goes. Visitors to the high school dining hall today read the menu cards with avidity and some surprise when they read the line offering "sliced tomato" for a mere nickel, a half-a-dime, five cents, a twentieth part of a dollar. Down Paige street, just a few yards away, a fruit store window bore a sign over a small pile of fresh red tomatoes, announcing "today's price per pound, 55 cents." Nary a school pupil calling for tomatoes at Lowell high school dining hall this noon had a right to object to the price—one nickel—for the "red ripe" ordered and joyfully swallowed, what think you, reader?

Strawberries have not yet appeared on the spring menus at the dining hall because of the price, for one reason, but more because southern berries do not always come to New England in the early spring in very good condition or flavor. The quality is steadily improving, but the prices on best berries are very high and strawberry delicacies will probably not be provided right away.

Only eight civil officers of the United States have been impeached and tried before the senate, and only two of them have been convicted.

SENATE FAVORS 8 IN 11 HOUR MEASURE

BOSTON, May 21.—By a rising vote of 16 to 9, the senate yesterday substituted a bill for an adverse report, allowing street railway employes to work eight hours in eleven, despite the charges that such action would drive many of the street railways outside of Boston out of business.

Senator Abbott B. Rice of Newton said the bill was one of the most drastic to come before the legislature and would probably put 12 to 15 railways out of existence. He said that the legislature should not pass on the question of hours of labor for street car employes any more than plumbers, carpenters and other laborers.

Senator John Halliwell, New Bedford speaking in favor of the substitution, said that in 28 states eight hours is a standard work day; that state, city and town employes have an eight-hour day; that instead of employing more men the roads can operate with less; that it is just as easy to operate a street railway with eight hours in eleven, as with nine hours in eleven; that a man working eight hours will only be paid for eight hours; and the bill does not place any additional burdens on the roads.

The motion of Senator Halliwell was then voted on, and substitution prevailed on a voice vote, and on a rising vote it was yes, 16 to 9. On a roll-call Senator Frothingham was the only one to rise. Senator Alvin E. Bliss of Malden gave notice that today he would offer an amendment giving the eight-hour day, but not within eleven or any given number of hours.

BOXER IN SERIOUS CONDITION

BOSTON, May 21. Charles Quinn of Kansas City who was knocked out by A. Allegrini of Los Angeles in the 160-pound class of the national amateur boxing championships last night, was in a critical condition at a hospital today. He was said to be suffering from a concussion of the brain.

SUN BREVITIES

Tobin's Printery, now at 243 Dutton st.

Catering, the best. Lydon. Tel. 4934.

Rebuilt batteries, $10. Postoffice Gar.

Fire and liability insurance. Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman's Exchange.

Dress suits, tuxedoes and dress shirts to hire. Bertrand, 24 Middle st.

John J. O'Connell qualified as superintendent of charities before City Clerk Stephen Flynn at 11.30 o'clock this morning.

HURSTWOOD WINS NEWMARKET STAKES

NEWMARKET, England, May 21.—(By the Associated Press) Hurstwood, by Gay Crusader, out of Bleasdale, owned by S. Tattersall, won the Newmarket stakes of £1000 which is considered a tryout for the Derby, run here today. H. H. Aga Kahn's Salmon-Trout was second and Lord Derby's Sansovino, third.

DR. GATSOPOULOS
Has opened his new office in
THE APPLETON BANK BUILDING
Room 210. Tel. 2450. Usual Hours

WALTER E. GUYETTE ..... Auctioneer
53 Central St., Lowell, Mass. Tel. 6996—6997

PUBLIC SALE—97,109 SQUARE FEET

ON MIDDLESEX STREET AND MIDDLESEX PARK, A PART OF THE COSTIKYAN CARPET COMPANY TRACT, TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON NEXT SATURDAY, MAY 24TH, 1924, AT 4 O'CLOCK P. M.

The remaining real estate holdings of the Costikyan Carpet Co. in Lowell, consisting of two building lots containing 93,429 square feet with frame barn thereon, being Lot 3 on detailed plan, situated on Middlesex street, between Nos. 1575 and 1595 on the street, and 3680 square feet, being Lot 2 on said plan, situated in Middlesex Park, next to No. 35 on the street, is hereby pledged to the highest bona fide bidders, at absolute and unrestricted public sale; both lots are to be sold as one parcel. The Middlesex street lot has a frontage of 158.10 feet on the street, thus making it of great value for development. It is located within a step of the John C. Meyer Co.; the Eastern Massachusetts St. Railway car barns, the new roundhouse of the B. & M. R.R., comfortable walking distance of the Bay State Cotton Corp., the Saco-Lowell Foundry, the Lyon Carpet Co., and numerous other manufacturing industries, also within a short step of the great real estate development now in progress throughout the Highlands section of the city. The lot with its area and splendid frontage has most unusual advantages for the real estate operator, the opportunity to sub-divide into home plots, or develop as a modern manufacturing site owing to its accessibility to the main line of the Southern Division of the Boston & Maine is ideal; its location, surrounded by high grade homes; within short distance of industry, directly on the Middlesex Street, North Chelmsford and Tyngsboro car line and the fact that vacant land is in such demand, and that building operations in Lowell never were as great as at present, make this sale of extraordinary importance, and should strongly appeal to builders, speculators and investors, as rarely, if ever, is the chance given to purchase such a large parcel with such environment, and more particularly at open competition.

Terms: $100 must be deposited or secured with the auctioneer just as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

By order of COSTIKYAN CARPET CO.

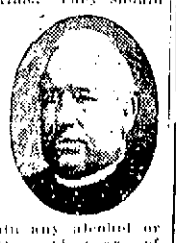
PLANT
CANNAS
75c to $2.00 doz.
DAHLIAS
6 for $1.00, 12 for $1.85
Or 1 choice red, 1 choice yellow, 1 choice white. All for.... $1
GLADIOLI
A garden full for $3.00 (00) or 10c a doz.
Dows
FAIRBURN BLDG.

Merrimack Park
TONIGHT
CHECK DANCING
FRIDAY—Special Request Murphy's Hampton Beach Orchestra

Well, I Reckon and I Guess Just About the Best
Melvin Mury's Orchestra
Again at the
GRANGE HALL
Thursday Evening, May 22
With the Melvin Mury Co.
Tickets, 50c. Let's Go.

Don't Drug Yourself in the Springtime
Father John's Medicine Is the Safest Spring Tonic

A great many people really need a tonic in the springtime. They should take a real tonic food such as Father John's Medicine which tones up the system by building new flesh and strength and not by false stimulation or drugging. Remember Father John's Medicine does not contain any alcohol or dangerous drugs. Over 85 years of success.—Adv.



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Formerly The Rasino
BALLROOM
Thursday Night
Battle of Music
Wm. Hardy's and Miner-Doyle's Orchs.
ADMISSION 50c

TONIGHT — Dancing Party
BY THE LOWELL Y. M. H. A. A., PAWTUCKET BOATHOUSE
Campbell's Serenaders. Subscription 55 Cents

LAKEVIEW BALLROOM
DANCING THURSDAY and SATURDAY NIGHTS
Broderick's Entertainers
10c Car Fare DANCE AT LAKEVIEW 10c Car Fare

Concert and Dance by the C. Y. M. L.
Lyceum Building, Suffolk St., Thursday Evening, May 22, 1924
School Hall for Old-time Dances, Lyceum Hall for Modern Dances, Reddin's Jazz Band, O'Gara's Bagpipe Band. Concert at 8 o'clock. Checking Free. Tickets, 50c.